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VISIT OF CALGARY BOARD OF TRADE TO CROSSFIELD

Another page in the history of
Crossfield was added on Wednesday,
July 29th, when about fifty
members of the Calgary Board of
Trade came up, and, with about
the same number of the Crossfield
Board of Trade, spent the day as
guests, first of all of Frank Collicutt,
and later of George Huser.

A fleet of twenty-one cars left
town at 2:30, proceeding west and
south to the Collicutt place, known
as the Willow Springs Ranch.

It was an ideal day, and every-
one was in a good humour. On
arrival the ladies present were
entertained at the house by Mrs.
Collicutt.

The men were given the privilege
of a tour of inspection of the
famous Herefords, which Mr. Collicutt
has raised with such success,
and which have brought honors to
Alberta from London, Toronto and
Chicago.

Mr. Collicutt himself
conducted the guests around, re-
lating the exact age and various
points and breeding of each animal
as they were brought out.

As Mr. Norman Moody later re-
marked, it was not only an enjoy-
able visit, but very educating.

All the guests then repaired to
the lawn where they were served
with tea, coffee, sandwiches and
cake. After extending thanks to
Mrs. Collicutt for her hospitality,
the guests then left, proceeding to
the Huser farm, about fifteen miles
east of the Collicutt ranch.

The party leisurely circled the
farm, which is several hundred
acres in extent, and which shows
George Huser and his son, George
Huser Jr. to be master farmers,
and proves that real crops can be
raised in this part of the country.

Mr. Huser explained to his guests
the various kinds and qualities of
grain, of which the average lay-
man knows little.

On the lawn the guests were
served by Mrs. Huser with lemon-
ade, cake and doughnuts, which,
at this time of the day, were par-
ticularly refreshing.

In the evening a luncheon was
given the members from Calgary
by the Crossfield members; after
which several short addresses and
a programme were presented, in
lieu of an address to have been
given by Mr. L. F. Fitch, who was
unavoidably absent.

Mr. H. R. Fitzpatrick and Mr.
A. C. Fraser jointly presided. Mr.
Fraser first of all tendering thanks
on behalf of the Calgary Board to
the Crossfield members, and, in
particular to Messrs Collicutt and
Huser for their hospitality.

Eloquent addresses were delivered
by Mayor Andy Davison, R. J.
Hutchings, T. A. Hornibrook, E.
T. Chritchley, Norman Moody, J.
H. Hanna and L. W. Brockington,
while responses on behalf of Cross-
field were made by Pres. Harry
Fitzpatrick, Sec. Tom Tredaway
and R. M. McCool, M.L.A.

Not the least interesting feature
of the programme was the com-
munity singing, ably led and con-
ducted by the genial Art Maguire
—at the piano—and John Tully,
vocal director, who bid fair to rival
Amos 'n Andy of recent fame. In
all it was a great day, and every-
one went home happy.

Board of Trade Notes

A letter has been received by
the secretary of the Board of Trade
from the Premier of Alberta, stat-
ing that he regretted not being
able to make a date to visit Cross-
field this month owing to so many
pressing engagements but he hoped
to visit Crossfield early in the
fall.

As the School Fair prize lists
are about to be printed, anyone
wishing to donate to the Fair are
advised to get in touch with the
secretary immediately.

Former Crossfield Rector Passes Away

Word has been received of the
death of Archdeacon Wilfred Cart-
er Marsh, pastor of the United
church of the Advent, Devil's Lake,
N. D. Before going to North Dak-
ota, Rev. Marsh was rector of St.
Gabriel's Calgary, and had par-
ishes at Three Hills and Clare-
holm. He was also rector at the
Church of Ascension, Crossfield
some few years ago.

Crossfield Won Inter-Town Tennis Games at Acme

The Crossfield Tennis Club played
at Acme on Sunday last and won
a majority of the matches,
winning all the single events and
the mixed doubles, while Acme
won the men's doubles. Results:
Men's Singles—J. P. Winning
defeated J. W. Donald, 6-2, 6-4. A.
Stevens defeated C. S. Smith, 6-5,
6-2.

Ladies' Singles—Mrs. Stevens
defeated Miss D. Hosenpillar, 6-4,
6-2.

Men's Doubles—J. O. Taylor and
C. S. Smith defeated J. P. Winn-
ing and C. H. McMillan, 6-1, 6-2.
R. Moore and G. M. Levell defeat-
ed A. Stevens and F. Mossop, 6-1,
6-2. L. T. Dol and D. Pambrun,
defeated J. Cavendar and B. Lang-
feldt, 6-0, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles—Mrs. Stevens
and C. H. McMillan defeated M.
Smith and J. O. Taylor, 6-5, 6-3.

Fike Family Hold Reunion At Plainville, Kansas

About fifty of the Fike family
gathered at the home of C. K. Fike,
Plainville, Kansas, for a reunion
on July 29. The day was spent in
talking over old times and visiting.
At noon a bountiful dinner was
served.

This was the first reunion of the
six brothers and sisters since 1878,
when two brothers C. K. and D.
K., travelling in covered wagons
left their homes in Dyars, Iowa,
and went to Plainville. Ten years
later the other brother, J. K. left
Iowa and went to Marion County,
Kansas. In 1889 D. K. moved
from Plainville to Marion County,
and in 1903 he moved to Crossfield,
Alberta. Mrs. Charles Bourne, a
sister, left Iowa in 1893 and moved
to Davenport, Nebraska, and six
years later she moved to Denver,
Colorado. The other two sisters
Mrs. Susannah Creps and Mrs.
Elizabeth Holtz still live in Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Fike, and
Mr. and Mrs. Miles Fike and
daughter Loretta, attended the re-
union from Crossfield.

In a letter received by the editor
from Dan Fike, he reports having
a wonderful trip and they expect
to return to Crossfield about the
1st of August.

POLICE COURT

On July 22nd., A. J. Borton of
Dog Pound, appeared before R. D.
Macfarquhar, J. P. at Dog Pound,
and was fined \$6.00 and costs for
operating a motor vehicle without
number plates.

BASEBALL FRIDAY NIGHT

Irricana and Didsbury will meet
on the Crossfield diamond at 6:30
o'clock on Friday night of this
week in the biggest baseball treat
of the season. This is a sudden
death game as both these teams
reached the finals in the Three
Hills tournament and played seven
innings to a tie, when the game
was called owing to darkness. It
was decided to play the final game
at Crossfield. To the winner goes
a beautiful silver trophy and all
gate receipts. Everett Bills, Glen
Williams, and Stahl Bros. of Car-
stairs are on the Irricana team and
several semi-professionals from the
east line and Calgary. Didsbury is
also loaded with players from Olds,
Innisfail and Red Deer. Let's go.

NOTICE

To Shareholders and The General Public

On and after August 1, 1931, and until
further notice, we will allow 50c per bushel for No. 1
Wheat, F.O.B. Crossfield; other grades in proportion,
for all debts incurred prior to January 1, 1930.

In passing the above resolution the Board took
into account the fact that these debts were incurred
at a time when the farmers' produce was worth
three times what it is today.

The Board felt that it was hardly fair to
expect the customer to bear all this loss; and, by
this means, they are prepared to share a part of
the burden.

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Our National Parks.

One little item of national good which seems to have grown out of the prevailing and much discussed business depression is the increasing number of Canadians who are this year making visits to and holidaying in the National Parks of the Dominion. This very satisfactory development may have been caused by the financial inability of many people to indulge in more expensive trips, probably so, but it may also have resulted from increased publicity and a growing appreciation of these parks and the wonderful variety and beauty of scenic and other attractions which they present.

Canada, like all countries, has made some very good as well as some regrettable investments, but in no other department of national administration has more foresight been shown, or a better investment made than in the setting aside in all Provinces of generous areas as national playgrounds, and leaving them, for the most part, in a state of undisturbed natural beauty so that future generations in the centuries to come may know what this country was like before it became the home of teeming millions with all the artificialities which invention and an ever advancing machine-age may bring.

As a result of this foresight, Canada today can boast of the largest and finest system of National Parks possessed by any country in the world. Embraced within their boundaries are great mountain peaks, large lakes, wonderful rivers, beautiful waterfalls, almost every kind of wild animal known to the northern half of the continent, fish, trees and wild flowers of every variety. They are, in a word, Nature's great storehouses of natural wealth and beauty.

More than this, each National Park is an animal and bird preserve and sanctuary, thus providing a guarantee against the extinction of these wild species in this country and safeguarding Canada from similar losses sustained in other lands. In fact, Canada has done even better than this. Not many years ago people declared that the buffalo which once roamed our western prairies in countless thousands had become extinct. There were, however, a few held in captivity by private individuals in the United States. The Canadian Government, with foresight, seized the opportunity and purchased these animals, about 800 in all, twenty-three years ago, and brought them to Canada, placing them in the National Park at Watkinsburg, Alberta. Today there are 6,000 buffalo at Watkinsburg, 1,000 at Elk Island Park, Alberta, and about 13,000 at Wood Buffalo Park, Northwest Territories. All these herds are increasing.

Canadians thus have not only great national playgrounds but Nature's own zoological gardens. They constitute a national asset of great value today, which money could not buy, and which will increase rapidly in value with the passage of time. Full advantage of the National Parks should be taken by all citizens. They are easily accessible to most people, if not one park, then another one. In a year such as the present they offer the ideal holiday for people with but few dollars to spare. Take the children to them. Let them see the buffalo, the elk, the bears, in their natural habitat, and not merely by picture in school books. Let them, especially our prairie boys and girls, know the joy of roaming among the trees, and the keen delight of fishing.

Western winters are long, and sometimes excessively cold, when we must be cooped up in our houses. Therefore, let everybody get out of doors when and while they can, and revel in the beauties and the health-giving attributes of Nature. Adults will appreciate such a simple holiday, but the providing of it is a duty we owe to the children. Nature is the best doctor in the world, and we should go to her as often and for as long a visit as possible. And Nature can be seen at her best, and enjoyed to the utmost, in the National Parks of Canada—the great playgrounds which are the property of every Canadian citizen.

States Cannot Claim Hawks

Famous Aviator Born in Australia Is Still British Subject

Just as a matter of record, without casting any reflection or making any insinuations against anybody, may it be stated that Captain Frank Hawks who recently cut the flying record from Montreal to Toronto, Toronto to Ottawa, and Montreal to New York, is not a United Statesian. He is an Australian and, therefore, British. His temporary home (if a man who is in the air most of the time can be said to have any home) is in Texas; but he is, and so far as we know has every intention of remaining, a British subject. So when next time your friend on the golf links or at the club talks about "Hawks," the American, please remind him that an Australian is not yet a citizen of the neighboring republic—Toronto Mail and Empire.

London women have a hatless era.

Suffered Severe, Painful Cramps In Her Stomach



"These terrible cramps in the stomach that double you up in pain and make you break out in a cold perspiration, may be stopped by a few doses of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry."

Mrs. Edna Jones, 204 Argyle St., Halifax, N.S., writes:—"I have suffered greatly from severe and painful cramps in my stomach. I tried several remedies without result. One day a friend advised me to take Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, so I bought a bottle and got instant relief."

Alberta Road Program

Work On Link With Trans-Canada Highway To Proceed

Construction work on the Alberta section of the proposed trans-Canada Highway will begin in the near future, it was intimated by the Provincial Government.

"Announcement of the road program was made following receipt of a wire from Senator Eldon Robertson, Federal Minister of Labor, stating not only that the Dominion Government will share with the Province on a 50-50 basis in the cost of the trans-Canada Highway, but that the Province may confidently anticipate a Federal contribution on highway construction in drought areas."

Three possible routes as Alberta links in the highway have been suggested, in answer to a request from Premier Bennett, as follows: Jasper, Edmonton and Lloydminster; Jasper, Edmonton and Wainwright; and Banff, Calgary and Medicine Hat. When a choice has been made, it is made by the Dominion authorities lining up with the routes across the adjoining provinces, the way will be clear to begin actual operations.

Bounty On Wheat

Five Cents On Bushel Exported From Alberta and Saskatchewan

A resolution providing for the payment of five cents on every bushel of wheat exported from the Provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan during the present year has been placed on the order paper of the House of Commons by Premier R. B. Bennett. This resolution is the subject of a speech by Premier Bennett in his budget speech.

The resolution reads as follows: "Resolved that it is expedient to bring in a measure to provide that the Government in Canada may authorize the payment out of the consolidated revenue fund of the sum of five cents on every bushel of wheat exported from the Province of Alberta and Saskatchewan of the crop of 1931, and to make provision for the determination of amounts payable thereunder, and for regulations to carry out the purpose of the act and prescribe penalties to be incurred for breach of the act or regulations."

The Oil of the People—Many oils have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil continues to maintain its position and increase its sphere of usefulness each year. Its sterling qualities have brought it to the front and kept it there, and it can truly be called the oil of the people. Thousands have benefited by it and would use no other preparation.

Abandon Rural Fairs

Sixty-Nine Agricultural Fairs In Saskatchewan Will Be Cancelled For This Year

Due to poor conditions, 69 agricultural fairs have been abandoned in Saskatchewan, J. G. Rayner, secretary of the Saskatchewan Agricultural Society Association and director of extension work at the Saskatchewan University, has announced.

Altogether, 75 small exhibitions will be held this year. Most of the fairs which will not be held lie in southern Saskatchewan, although a few of the northern societies have decided to put off the fairs, due to lack of price money.

Your Asthma, Too. The efficacy of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is not something that is merely to be hoped for; it is to be expected. It seldom fails to bring relief to your own individual case it will do the same. So universal has been the success of this far-famed remedy that every one afflicted with this disease owes it to himself to try it.

Deaths By Violence

Increase Of Two Persons Per 100,000 Population Is Shown

An increase of two persons per 100,000 population in the number of deaths by violence is shown in a report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The number of deaths by violence in Canada for 1930 was 1,488 as compared with 1,511 in 1929. Suicides numbered 1,007, a marked increase over 835 for the previous year, while homicides numbered 215 as against 162.

There were 6,249 accidental deaths, compared with 6,134 in 1929. Drownings numbered 1,077, deaths from traffic accidents 2,057 and automobile fatalities 1,289.

Western Market For Strawberries

Extension of the home market and capture of a western market are foreseen for Ontario strawberries as a result of "chilling" experiments recently at the Simcoe Cold Storage Plant. Contracts are now being made by the Simcoe plant with growers to ship the bulk of next season's crop to the western provinces and northern Ontario.

If the way of the transgressor is so awfully hard, why is it so many people follow it?

W. N. U. 1930

Wheat Marketing Problems

Premier Bracken Of Manitoba Pleased With Outcome Of Regina Conference

Commenting upon the two-day inter-provincial wheat conference held in Regina, Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba, expressed himself as well pleased with the outcome, and confident that the conclusions arrived at, and the steps taken to implement them would result in the creation of arrangements and machinery which would solve some of the most important problems connected with the operation of the pool elevator systems in wheat marketing.

While expressing hearty appreciation for what steps the Dominion Government was prepared to take by way of financing the handling and marketing of the 1931 crop, Premier Bracken keenly expressed the hope that the Federal authorities could not see their way clear to act upon the unanimous recommendation of the three prairie governments, and all the farm organizations of western Canada, that a wheat board be created to market the new crop. He stated further, that he was firmly convinced that a wheat board would have been the soundest solution of the immediate wheat marketing problems, and the best possible contribution to the serious economic emergency which exists in western Canada.

He was confident that the wheat board would be an upward trend of wheat prices after the selling pressure of this fall was past, at which time the price effect of a number of fundamental corrections in the wheat situation would become apparent.

Continuing, Premier Mackenzie stated: "The vast majority of western farmers will be compelled by dire economic circumstances to market their 1931 crop as quickly as possible. At the very time Russia will be obliged to market the larger part of whatever her exportable surplus may prove to be. The generally admitted advice of speculative investment buying to absorb the hedging pressure with the bearish influence of the uncertainties of the Russian situation, will in all probability mean lower prices at the time our farmers are delivering their crop than during the remainder of the year, with serious resultant disappointment to all those farmers who see prices on an upward trend after the control of their grain has passed beyond their hands."

First Aid Prize Awards

Championship. This Year Goes To Kingston Army Medical Corps

"First aid" championship of Canada has been won this year by a team representing No. 3 Detachment of Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps, Kingston, Ont.

Results of the 1931 Dominion Trophy competition, conducted by the Canadian branch of the St. John Ambulance Association, show the R.C.A.M. team compiled a total of 29.1 points in the tests, as compared with 286 by the second ranking team composed of members of Canadian Pacific Railway police at Windsor Station, Montreal.

Other competing teams in the order in which they finished and their point scores follow:

The Canadian National Railway's team, Fort Rouge Shops, Winnipeg, 279; fourth, C.P.R. team of Nelson, B.C., 268; fifth, C.P.R. team of Saint John, N.B., 250; sixth, Cammore Coal Company team No. 1, Cammore, Alta., 247; seventh, C.N.R. M.F., dept. team of Melville, Sask., 217.

Fighting Narcotic Evil

League Of Nations Reports Progress In Control Of Drug Traffic

The League of Nations experts have placed the amount of morphine which has passed into the illicit traffic between 1926 and 1930 at 100 tons. To this amount they also add six tons of cocaine.

Other statistics, however, demonstrate that actual progress is really being made to control the drug evil. Exports of heroin, for example, into 14 countries, which are generally regarded as the centres of the illicit traffic, have fallen from 5,055 kilograms in 1926 to 41 kilograms in 1930 as a result of the League's efforts.

Ontario Relief Plan

Accord with the views of Hon. George Henry, Premier of Ontario, in connection with the establishment of labor battalions in that province was expressed recently by Hon. Eldon Robertson, Minister of Labor. The Minister, however, made it clear that no suggestion of compulsory work was associated with the method the Premier proposed to employ.

It is all very well to say that the speed need not go, but the trouble is that that's what he thinks, too.

Homeland Sends Greetings

London Papers Refer To British Columbia's Diamond Jubilee

"Hail British Columbia" is the heading of the London, England, Morning Post Leader in a recent issue referring to British Columbia's diamond jubilee as a province of Canada. The Post says the homeland sends affectionate and sincere good wishes to the province. It pays a tribute to the loyalty of British Columbia and recalls the courage and far-sighted vision of the pioneers of British Columbia commercial enterprise west of the Rockies and dwells on the development of the province into "one of the most progressive and prosperous communities in the Empire."

The Daily Express also congratulates British Columbia on its diamond jubilee, and says: "Perhaps other provinces of our great Dominion will forgive us if in this country we have special affection for the 60-year-old province beyond the Rockies owing to her flattering habit of remaining as English as possible."

Peace River Outlet

B.C. Government Fears Project May Be Delayed

The British Columbia Government, it is intimated, views with concern the possibility that the fate of the Peace River outlet question and the future of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway may be delayed in its decision by reference to the proposed Dominion general transportation royal commission.

While favoring the appointment of such a commission for general purposes, the government does not wish these two questions to be subjected to delay. The provincial authorities, it is stated, would prefer that the Dominion Government to learn where these matters would be referred to the proposed commission.

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Canada Praised By

Sir Alexander Gibby

For Wishing Efficient Management and Construction Of Harbours

Sir Alexander Gibby, noted English port authority and engineer, who has been commissioned by Canada to conduct an investigation into the functioning of Canadian harbours, arrived at Quebec recently. Sir Alexander stated that Canada was giving an example to other countries in wishing efficient management and construction of her harbours. His task was of the highest importance, he said, adding that he felt honored in having been chosen to conduct the inquiry.

Light Cattle Wanted

Canada must produce more lightweight beef cattle to hold its market in Britain and to take care of home consumption contends Howard F. Raleigh, M.L.A., Lambton West, in a report prepared for the agricultural committee of the Ontario legislature, following an investigation of conditions surrounding the cattle-breeding industry.

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AVOID IMITATIONS

Coast-To-Coast Telephone

Trans-Canada Telephone Line Will Be 4,263 Miles In Length

Direct telephone communication between Montreal and Winnipeg is now established, and marks the closing of another gap in a trans-Canada telephone system, which is expected to be completed entirely within the boundaries of the Dominion.

The trans-Canada telephone line will be 4,263 miles in length, made up of 142 miles in Nova Scotia, 385 in New Brunswick, 1,863 in Quebec and Ontario, 243 in Manitoba, 485 in Saskatchewan, 418 in Alberta, and 569 in British Columbia. A total of 22 repeater stations will be necessary to boost-up the electrical impulses that carry the voice on its long journey across Canada.

Immediately preceding the opening of the Montreal-Winnipeg connection on July 4th, a third commercial line from Toronto to Winnipeg and one which provides direct communication, one from intermediate switching at any point en route, was brought into use. The first service between Toronto and Winnipeg was established in 1928, and two of the circuits now in operation are equipped with carrier current apparatus, permitting several simultaneous conversations on the same pair of circuit wires.

The eastern link of the system between Halifax and Montreal was completed in January, 1929, and the recent hook-up completes the line from Halifax to Winnipeg. Much work has been done in this connection in Western Canada, a three-channel carrier system already operating between Regina and Calgary, and the work laid out by the provincially-owned system of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, together with the British Columbia Telephone Company, provides for the opening of the whole line this year.

Promotion Well Merited

Twenty-two years of service with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (a good deal of which was put in with the old North West Mounted Police), which took him at one time into the Arctic regions in northern Canada for a period of two years, has brought Sergeant William Stouts of Weyburn, a well merited promotion to the rank of an inspector.

Complete in itself, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator does not require the assistance of any other medicine to make it effective. It does not fail to do its work.

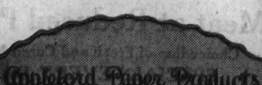
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Heavy Distribution Of Fish Fry From Prairie Province Hatcheries To Stock Lakes And Streams

More than 470,000,000 fish eggs, fry, fingerlings, and yearling fish, and a few other fish, were distributed last year from the thirty hatcheries operated by the Fish Culture Division of the Canadian Department of Fisheries.

There were Atlantic salmon, speckled trout, rainbow trout, brown trout, hybrid brown trout, a few albinos, brown trout, loach, leven trout, salmon trout, cut-throat, Kamloops trout, cut-throat and Kamloops crosses, tannas, landlocked salmon, pickerel, whitefish, sockeye salmon, spring salmon, coho salmon, chum salmon, steelhead salmon or trout, and Kennerly's salmon.

By such distributions, which go on from year to year, the Fish Culture Division assists nature in maintaining and increasing the existing supplies of fish in various Canadian waters, stocks lakes and streams which are barren, and introduces different species of fish into areas to which they are not indigenous, thus making more fish swim where fewer swam before and adding both the commercial fishermen and the anglers.

The largest distribution was from the hatcheries in the Prairie Provinces. From the hatchery establishments in Manitoba there was a whitefish distribution of about 150,000,000 and a pickerel distribution of over 107,000,000. In addition, there was a salmon trout distribution of upwards of 195,000. From the hatchery at Fort Qu'Appelle, Saskatchewan, nearly 15,000,000 eggs, etc., were sent out—whitefish, by far the greater part, some pickerel eggs, and some brown trout. The distribution from the Alberta hatcheries reached a total of more than 103,250,000.

Safety In Flying

Accidents Would Be Reduced If Proper Precautions Were Always Taken

Col. W. A. Bishop, V.C., Canada's most famous aviator in the World War, was twitted the other day, when, as he was about to take off on a flight in Eastern Canada, he made a most careful preliminary inspection of the "plane" that was to bear him. He checked the wires, rigging, wings and tail parts and listened to the hum of the motor. To those who twitted him, he made a remark that deserves a good deal of attention. "I'm not funny about being the world's smartest pilot. I just want to be the oldest one."

Here is an epigrammatic utterance deserving of the notice not only of aviators but of all those who have anything to do with machinery. The accident list would be materially reduced if everyone took the precaution of satisfying themselves, before applying the power, that their machines were in first-class shape. Longevity has its attractions notwithstanding the considerable passion for speed and daring—Regina Leader-Post.

Will Not Be Eclipsed

The Eiffel Tower in Paris apparently does not intend to be eclipsed by the completion of the Empire State Building in New York. It is receiving a coat of yellow paint, which makes it more than ever the dominant feature of the Parisian landscape. What it may lack in height as compared with New York's latest skyscraper it intends to make up in brightness.

Magistrate (to woman involved in an unhappy matrimonial dispute): Did you and your husband quarrel on Friday night?

Wife: What! And the next day pay day? Certainly not!



"Mother, is it true that a camel can work for a week without drinking?"

"Yes. And your father can drink for a week without working!"—Moussigue, Charleroi.

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Menace To Aviation's Future

President Of Aeronautical Federation Deplores Stunt Flights Across Atlantic

Trans-Atlantic flights of the haphazard variety are a menace to aviation's future, according to Prince Georges Ethier, Aeronautical Federation president.

"I protest against flights which do not serve the cause of aviation," said the Prince. "Only properly prepared long-distance flights by duly qualified pilots using suitably equipped machines can be of value to the future of aviation," he added, deploring "stunt" flights "by people who often have less common sense than a chicken."

"As President of the Federation," he continued, "my only idea is to protect aviation."

Asked if trans-Atlantic flights could be of any value to aviation he replied in the affirmative; but, he said, "they must have a coefficient of safety suitable to the radius of action and far above the usual. If proper security is insured and the machines are equipped to fly the distance required, trans-Atlantic flights can be of incalculable value."

Winnipeg Newspaper Union



By Annette



JUST TAKE A PEEP IN THE SHOP AT THE ATTRACTIVE NEW COTTONS

It has so much snap, and it's so easy to make and to wear. It was originally in a tub silk—skinner blue dotted in white. It has two collars! The capelet covers the arms sufficiently to take the place of sleeves, and contributes its bit toward femininity. The scarf collar in matching tone of the ground of the print with decorative ends in red carries out the smart idea of tri-colours.

The pointed treatment is stunning. Style No. 248 is designed for sizes 16, 18, 20 years, 26, 38, 40 and 42 inches bust. The 26-inch size requires 3 1/2 yards of 35-inch material with 1/2 yard of 35-inch light and 1/2 yard of 18-inch dark contrasting and 3 1/2 yards of binding.

Plain crepe silk, eyelash braid, chiffon prints, halate prints, linen and rayon novelties are only a few of the many smart fabrics. Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

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Building construction in France is showing a slight increase.

May Make Shipments Of Cattle Monthly

Reservations Being Made With Council Of Western Beef Producers

Additional ocean accommodation recently made available to them will permit the Council of Western Beef Producers, with headquarters in Calgary, to ship creditable numbers of beef cattle to the British market in every month between now and January, 1932. Reservations have already been made by one rancher for space in the latter month, and many others are making their plans to forward their cattle under the auspices of the Council later this season.

Sixty head of light animals left Lethbridge recently for Glasgow, via Quebec, while 100 head of heavies went from Bowden, Lethbridge, Camrose, and Tofield areas for shipment overseas. These will about clean up the feed cattle controlled by the Council in this district, and subsequent shipments will be of grass-fed animals.

To Ensure Fair Profit

Feed Must Be Included In Price Asked For Lambs

An average spread of \$1.54 between the cost of feeder lambs and the price at which they sell is necessary for profit, according to a table of production costs appearing in the current issue of the Economic Analyst, official organ of the agricultural economics branch of the Department of Agriculture. These figures were obtained from a close study of conditions reported by 16 representative feeders in southern Alberta. The two most efficient of this group of feeders kept operating costs down to 38 cents per head, while the two least efficient showed a spread of \$2.64 per head. For the average feeder to make a profit he must sell his lambs at not less than \$1.54 per head over their cost to him as feeders.

World's Largest Steer

Weights 5,300 Pounds and Measures Over 10 feet in Length

"Wonder" is the largest steer in the world. Lenn, he weighs 5,300 pounds, and his owner, E. E. Huffman, believes that he can fatten him so that he will weigh 4,000 pounds. "Wonder" is seven years old and was born on the ranch of Ralph Huffman, near Burwell, Neb. He tipped his nose to the tip of his tail the steer measures 10 feet eight inches.

Weekly Cattle Shipments

Southern Alberta Co-Operative Plan Regular Overseas Shipments

It is planned by the Southern Alberta Co-Operative to move overseas 50 to 60 head of cattle weekly from the Lethbridge district and arrangements for this summer are being made with the steamship companies. Growers are putting their cattle for export on sweet clover pasture and chopped grain rations which will put them in splendid shape for the trade.

Winnipeg's Industrial Progress

Col. John B. Reynolds, vice-president of the Middle West Utilities Company of Chicago, states that Winnipeg's industrial progress has been noted in commercial centres of the United States. He congratulates Winnipeg on its method of organizing its facilities for development.

FORCED DOWN



Laura Ingalls (above) diminutive but widely-known airwoman, who was forced down by storms while on a proposed one-stop trans-continental flight from California to New York. Miss Ingalls is expected to hop off as soon as weather permits, on a solo hop to Europe.

Search Finally Rewarded

Eggs Of Harris Sparrow Found North Of Churchill

Discovery of the eggs of the Harris Sparrow, the last North American bird whose eggs have remained unknown to science despite searches over more than a century, has been made by Dr. George Sutton, a Pittsburg ornithologist, who has returned from ice-covered wastes on the western shore of Hudson Bay.

Dr. Sutton's discovery came as the climax of a race with a group of scientists of the Canadian Ornithological Society, while both expeditions were camped less than a mile apart. For nearly three weeks the groups raced to be the first to find the last link in the chain of more than 1,200 known birds of this continent.

The eggs, smaller than those of robins, pale green with mottled brown marbling, will be presented to Carnegie Institute. They were found in a rhododendron-like bush near the ice, 40 miles north of Churchill, Man., on June 16.

The expedition spent two months in the Arctic, collecting birds, plants and insects. Its members, besides Messrs. Sutton and Semple, were Bert Lloyd, Saskatchewan ornithologist, and Olin S. Pettengill, photographer, of Bondon College.

Gathered Up Some Gold

Chinese Miner In B.C. Had An Exciting Experience

Carried three-quarters of a mile when he fell head first into a flume with a fifteen-mile current at the Low-see Hydraulic, Barkerville, Ah Fat, Chinese miner, had a narrow escape into the tailings at the end of the flume.

Probing a deep wound over one eye in the hospital at Quesnel, B.C. later, Dr. R. G. Baker, removed a quantity of gold-bearing black sand and a fair sized nugget embedded there when the face of the Chinese struck the rim of the bottom of the flume. His body was literally covered with abrasions.

"Eatium too much water," was his only comment to the doctor. There was once a man so good at languages that he could translate the American dialect as it came in over the radio.

To make cellars more attractive, heating engineers are now making furnaces in pastel shades.

Alberta Society Of Artists Is Formed With Object Of Raising Standard Of Art In Province

Method Was Simple

Invention Of Dr. Babcock Revolutionized The Dairy Industry

Dr. B. B. Babcock, whose invention 41 years ago of a simple way of finding the amount of butterfat in milk revamped the whole dairy industry, is dead. He was 88 years of age but had been still working away on various research problems at his private laboratory at Madison, Wis., where he had been almost a recluse for many years.

Born and schooled in New York State he joined the staff of the University of Wisconsin in 1887 and the first announcement of his invention came three years later.

Its importance lay in the fact that it brought full value for the product of low content. It also protected the high grade stock, whereas formerly he had received from the creamery no better price than had been given the seller of an equal quantity of milk of low content. It also protected the manufacturing end of the dairy interests in that it made adulteration or watering of milk by dishonest farmers easy of detection.

Dr. Babcock's method, like many another important discovery, was the embodiment of simplicity. Under it today a given amount of milk is sampled from the produce of a farm, poured into a graduated beaker or test tube, an equal amount of sulphuric acid is added, and within a few minutes the butter fat has come to the top with its amount indicated by the standard markings on the tube. Another benefit of this discovery was the improvement in dairy stocks which it made certain. It became easy for the farmer to determine whether a given cow should be retained in the herd as a money-maker and mother of future income, or sent to the butcher.

Value Of The Newspaper

Use Of The Columns Of The Local Paper Best Aid To Business

The director of a well known mercantile establishment describes the local newspaper as "our best clerk." He explains that it sees more people, gets more of their individual time, works longer hours, and tells its story with more accuracy than any other clerk they can employ. These papers are going into the homes of people, and are assured of their friendly attention. This is proved by the tremendous growth in importance of the press in the last few years, according to the director, who declares that today the local newspaper is the backbone of any constructive sales effort.

Professor Makes Hot Ice

"Hot ice" is the product of an amazing scientific experiment recently made by Prof. F. W. Bridgman of Harvard University. With a machine that exerts a pressure of 600,000 pounds to the square inch, Prof. Bridgman makes "ice" that is as hot as a cup of steaming coffee, and boils eggs by compressing them. In Prof. Bridgman's machine hardened steel flows like putty.

A machine that cuts wood into matches turns out 40,000 splints a minute.

Worried by crop deterioration and price depression the west has not forgotten art.

Receiving a chair of music was established at the University of Saskatchewan and now Alberta has organized a society of artists, with headquarters at Calgary and branches at Edmonton and other points.

Announcement of the formation of the Alberta Society of Artists is made by Dr. W. G. Carpenter, director of the Institute of Technology and Art. No members have been elected as yet, and it is anticipated that only two or three will be named during the first year. Adjudication by eastern Canadian, British or United States experts has been promised for works by aspiring artists.

One of the chief activities of the society will be to organize and assist art clubs and sketch clubs in cities, towns and villages throughout Alberta. The members of the clubs will not necessarily be members or amateurs, but the society will sponsor their exhibitions, help with raising prizes, and later organize scholarships for promising students.

It will bring loan exhibitions from Alberta for display not only in larger centres but in the smaller towns. It plans to establish an art gallery and to present exhibitions of amateur and professional work in competitions in art much after the manner followed by musical festival organizers in the realm of music.

"For many years educationists in Alberta have felt that the standards of art should be raised in this province," states Dr. Carpenter. "At the institute we felt that the development of art should be raised in this way by an outstanding and youthful leader—man whose personality and interpretation could be used as a foundation on which to create an entirely new school as distinctive in character as the Italian, Flemish, English or Dutch schools. We believe that we have such a personality in A. C. Leighton, R.B.A."

Mr. Leighton has been named temporary president of the new Alberta society.

Conference On Grain Production

Important Meeting To Be Held In Conjunction With World's Grain Show

The conference on grain production and marketing, to be held in conjunction with the World's Grain Exhibition in Regina next summer, may well "prove to be the most valuable and ultimately the most important part of this world event," stated H. S. Fry, Saskatchewan Wheat Pool Publicity Director, addressing the opening session of the annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association. He mentioned that a programme of the various conference sessions is being prepared under the chairmanship of Dr. J. H. Griesdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa.

How He Understood It

A young lad of six years got to pondering about Biblical matters recently and came to his mother to ask her exactly why Christ was killed. She happened, however, to be busy at the moment; moreover, she didn't want to get him embroiled in philosophical affairs too early in life. "He was killed," she explained, because the people didn't understand him." and thought he'd got away with the thing rather neatly—until a day or so later. Then she came upon him in the nursery, solemnly explaining to a playmate that Christ was killed because He couldn't speak English.

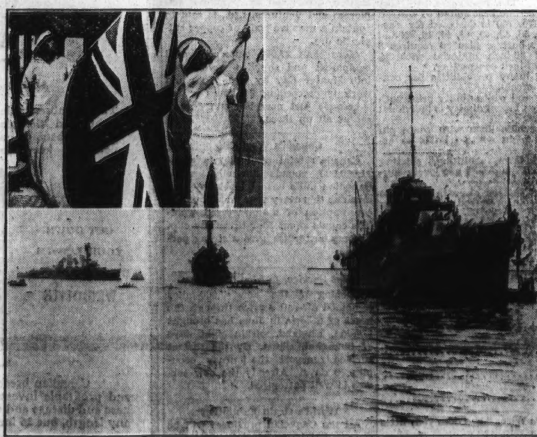
First Place In Butter Exhibit

Out of seventy-five competitors, the largest exhibit ever made, Manitoba took first place in the butter exhibit at the recent Brandon Fair.



"Ah, now I have again forgotten what it was I remembered that I had forgotten!"—Kasper, Stockholm.

BRITISH FLEET VISITS GERMAN HARBOUR



For the first time since the Great War the British Fleet paid a visit to Kiel Harbour, Germany, and was enthusiastically received. The main picture shows the new British cruiser "Norfolk," nearest camera, at right, at her moorings with the German ships, "Königsberg" and "Karlsruhe" on the left. Inset shows the hoisting of the British Ensign on the "Schleswig-Holstein" by German sailors in honour of the British Fleet's visit.



Truck driver: "Accelerate! Of course I accelerated. What did you think I was going to do—stand still and let you smash me up?"—The Humorist, London, England.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The mineral output in South Africa in a recent month was valued at nearly \$20,500,000.

There were 26 concentrated milk plants in operation in Canada in 1930, whose value of output totalled \$13,604,745.

British Columbia lumber circles are organizing to take immediate advantage of market extension possibilities thrown open by the new Canadian-Australian trade treaty.

A periscope, designed to fit a man's hat, enabling him to see a bandit, should one sneak up behind him, will be shown at the international patent exposition in Chicago.

A small bear, an owl, and 20 quails formed part of the cargo of an air freighter that arrived at Croydon, England, from Paris, France.

An exceptionally fine copy of the first edition of the works of Chaucer, the poet, printed in 1532, was sold for \$11,250 at an auction sale recently. Despite keen bidding from United States dealers the prize was secured by a London dealer.

The gold medal and diploma for creamery butter, in the largest exhibit of its kind ever shown at the Saskatoon Exhibition, went to Manitou Co-Operative Dairies, Winnipeg, with a score of 193.8.

Two Japanese dolls in Dairen, South Manchuria, the Manchu Nippo and Dairen Shimbun, have started to issue Sunday evening papers in addition to their regular morning and evening papers every day.

It is not at present possible to tell when a policy regarding a proposed Peace River outlet will be enunciated, Hon. R. J. Macdonald, Minister of Railways and Canals, said in the House of Commons.

Miss Millie Orpen, who was awarded \$25,000 in a suit against a movie theatre, which remained open on Sunday in violation of a blue law, more than a century old, renounced the award and said she never had intended to collect it, but sued only as a test case.

Destroying Arabic Alphabet
Determination is shown by the government of Turkey to stamp out the Arabic alphabet. A special government commission made the rounds of Turkish departments at Angora and burned all books and papers in the taboo characters except a few historical documents.



"I hear you have a brother, doctor."
"Yes, and he is the exact opposite of me in every way."
"How nice. I should much like to make his acquaintance!" — Der Genetische Rechner, Leipzig.

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By Annette



YOU'LL LIKE THIS SIMPLE ONE-PIECE HOME FRACK WITH ITS SLENDERIZING LINES

It's made in a jiffy! Practically only four seams to join! The youthful v-shaped neckline is most becoming. "No" begin with there is an inset yoke with a softly falling jabot frill and attached collar in deep revers styling. There is still another point, the interesting novel envelope pockets. The removable belt may be worn at line best suited to wearer. Style No. 750 is designed for sizes 16 years, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50 inches bust. Size 36 requires 2 yards of 38-inch material with 1/2 yard of 38-inch contrasting. It has many possibilities for contrasting effects. Yellow and white dimity print with plain cocoa brown dimity is individual and smart. Skipper blue linen with white pin dots and plain white trim is so attractive. Printed lawn, shantung, shirting fabrics and ginghams are lovely suggestions. Price of pattern 25 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred). Wrap coat carefully.

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Grocer's Wife: "And does your little boy go to school?"

Mrs. Newbrich: "Oh, yes, and he's getting on so well; he is learning French and Algebra. Now, Billy, say something to the lady in algebra."

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 2

PHILIP'S MISSIONARY LABORS

Golden Text: "They therefore that were scattered abroad went about preaching the word."—Acts 8:4.
Lesson: Acts 8:5-40.
Devotional Reading: Matthew 13:36-9.

Explanations and Comments

Reading and Explaining: God's Word, verses 22-35.—As we saw last week the persecution of Christ's followers after the Martyrdom of Stephen forced them to flee from Jerusalem, and they went everywhere preaching the word. Philip, like Stephen, was one of the seven deacons who, early in the history of the Church had been selected to help the work, went to Samaria, where he was very successful in gaining converts to Christ. In the midst of his labors there he was suddenly directed to leave that field and go southward on the route that led from Jerusalem to Gaza. Our text says that an angel of the Lord gave him his commission, but this does not tell us who was his chosen messenger. "A vision, a dream, a human agent, some natural circumstances or instrument, all these are in Holy Scripture or in contemporary literature styled God's angels or messengers. Men saw them more deeply than we do, recognized the hand of a Superintending Providence where we behold only secondary agents, and in their filial confidence spoke of angels where we should only recognize some natural power."

Philip obeyed the divine compulsion, and met a man of great authority, the treasurer of Caesarea, queen of Ethiopia, who was returning from Jerusalem where he had been to worship. "Caesarea" was not a proper name, but "Pharaoh" in Egypt, or "Canaan" in Rome, was the title of the ruler. Tradition gives this man as the founder of Christianity in Arabia Felix, and Ethiopia. Since he had been worshipping in the temple at Jerusalem he was probably a proselyte, a heathen converted to Judaism. When Philip saw him he was attracted in his character and reading the prophet Isaiah. "Like a man reading at daybreak and lifting his eyes to the rising sun, so this African adjusted his soul to every ray of truth that he could intercept."

The man was reading aloud, as was the way with Oriental Jews, and his taught that what was read aloud would be remembered, and they often insisted upon this practice. Philip felt impelled to approach the character.

"Understandest thou what thou readest?" at once Philip questioned. "How can I, except some one shall guide me?" the treasurer returned, and at once invited Philip to enter his chariot and sit with him.

The message which the treasurer was reading was Isaiah 53:7. "Of whom speaketh the prophet thus?" he asked. And Philip opened his mouth—this is a Hebrew expression for the fact that the words uttered were not spoken by chance but with deliberate purpose—and began to read from his scripture, preached unto him Jesus. Doubtless he told the treasurer how Jesus had fulfilled the prophecy, and how by His death He had provided a way of salvation for all who accepted Him.

Accepting God's Word, verses 36-40.—"Faith within and water without were ready," as Bengel says, and the Ethiopian asked to be baptized when they reached a pool. Philip gladly baptized him, though a Gentile and a Negro, and then was led by divine prompting to leave him and go to Asochia and then on to Caesarea.

Mining Equipment

Carried By Plane

Diamond Drilling Is Now Under Way In Northland

New mining history is being written in the northland. Diamond drilling operations are under way on the shore of Hunter Bay, Great Bear Lake, within ten miles of the Arctic Circle. The property under examination, discovered by Dominion Explorers and Ventures, Ltd., is said to contain a massive body of copper sulphate ore.

More than 27,000 pounds of drill equipment and supplies were flown into Hunter Bay by two pilots and work is proceeding 24 hours a day—because just now the sun doesn't set at all there.

Canada's Wool Clip

Canada's total wool clip is about 21,000,000 pounds annually, while Canadian mills use at least twice as much as this every year and Canadian consumption of manufactured wools equals about four times the clip. Some buttresses have a strong perfume.

Fast Service, London To China

Opening of the new 7,000-miles combined air-rail service through the heart of Siberia in June has brought London, England, within eight days of Shanghai, China. By the fastest surface transport the journey occupies 39 days. Already the new service is well patronized.

World's Grain Exhibition

All the Canadian provinces will be represented by provincial exhibits in the new building of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina in 1932. These will total a space of 11,000 square feet.

Order Of St. John Of Jerusalem

Service Held in Westminster Abbey To Commemorate Centenary Of Revival Of Order

The Duke of Connaught, Grand Prior of the Order, the Duke and Duchess of York, and other members of the Royal Family were present at a service held in Westminster Abbey to commemorate the revival in Great Britain 100 years ago of the work of the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem. The centenary address, delivered by the Archbishop of Canterbury, Prelate of the Order, was broadcast throughout the world. The congregation included members of all grades of the Order, and the numerous uniforms added colour to an imposing scene. The band of the Grenadier Guards played before the service began. The men of the Ambulance Division of the Order were seated in the South Transept; the women of the Nursing Divisions marched in procession to the same part of the Abbey from the West Door, led by the Duchess of York, their commandant-in-chief, who then took her place in the Sanctuary. There she was joined some minutes later by the Duke of York, in the uniform of the Order, and the Princess Louise, Princess Beatrice, Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught, Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, Princess Helena Victoria, and Princess Marie Louise.

At the conclusion of the service the Grand Prior and Chapter General, who were seated in the Sanctuary, a guard of honour of the Westminster School O.T.C., went to the Great Hall of Westminster School, which had been lent to the Order for the occasion, and there presided over the annual General Assembly of the Order. The Sub-Prior read messages of congratulation from the Commandery in South Africa and the branches of the Order in Australia and New Zealand, and an address was presented to the Grand Prior from the branch of the Order in Canada. There was also a message from the Commandery of the Order in Sweden. The Sub-Prior then read a message from Mr. Bennett, the Prime Minister of Canada, announcing that, in view of the good work done by the Order, the Canadian Government had decided to exempt it specially from the scope of the regulation of the Canadian House of Commons, in conformity with which the King has refrained from bestowing any titles or honours upon his Canadian subjects. In consequence of this communication, his Majesty had been pleased to invest several Canadians with the insignia of various grades in the Order recently at Buckingham Palace—London Times, England.

Look For Big Apple Crop

The B.C. Provincial Government

Horticulturist estimates the apple crop in the Kootenay and Arrow Lake districts of British Columbia, at 83,000 boxes as against 76,000 boxes last year.

Fairbanks, Alaska, only 120 miles south of the Arctic Circle, is hot enough at times for people to be overcome by heat.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

A VERY GOOD STEW

(Serves 8)

- 2 pounds sirloin steak.
- 2 large onions.
- 2 tablespoons fat.
- 4 medium potatoes.
- 4 large carrots.
- 1 can peas.
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice.
- 4 cups water.

Salt and pepper to taste.

Put the fat in a large stew pan. Heat until melted. Add the onions finely chopped. Then put in the meat cut in small pieces. Simmer until a light brown. Add the four cups of water and let cook slowly until meat is tender—about 1½ hours. Dice carrots and potatoes. Add to the above and cook 20 minutes longer. When ready to serve add the peas and lemon juice and heat. Thicken with a little flour and water.

CHRYSANTHEMUM SALAD

(Serves 6)

6 small oranges.

Lettuce.

Apple.

Cut through the skin of oranges three-quarters of the way down and in very fine strips, being careful not to break strips apart. Remove orange pulp and cut in pieces. Place each orange skin in a bowl of lettuce leaves and fill center with orange pieces and long slender pieces of apple. Serve with any desired dressing.

Ask Federal Aid

Want Assistance In Carrying Out Public Works In Saskatoon

Federal assistance in carrying out a public works programme in excess of \$2,000,000 will be asked by Saskatoon as an unemployment relief measure to meet requirements here for the next twelve months, Mayor John W. Hain has stated.

A payroll of \$70,000 per month for about a year would be assured if the suggested request is accepted by the federal authorities. This would be sufficient, the mayor believes, to provide employment for all jobless married men in Saskatoon. No plans are being made for single unemployed, the contention being expressed by the mayor that their problem was a purely federal matter.

Without a Country

"I am a woman without a country," declared a delegate at the Women's Co-Operative Guild Congress at Cheltenham, England, in an appeal to the government to allow a woman to retain her nationality after marriage. She was married to a Swede, who died three years ago. Through long residence in England her husband had lost his own citizenship, and by her marriage to him she now had no nationality at all.

Suitor: "Do you ever peep through the keyhole when I am sitting in the parlor with your sister?"

Sister: "Brother, with a burst of candor": "Sometimes, when mother ain't there."

Hospital Opened At

Chesterfield Inlet

Will Serve Nomadic Eskimo and Trappers In Far North

Bishop Turqueti and four nurses, members of the Grey Nuns Sisterhood, arrived at Churchill completing a long journey from Quebec by Canadian National Railways. The party was en route to Chesterfield Inlet, 800 miles north of this Hudson Bay port, where the farthest north hospital on the continent opened last week. The veteran Roman Catholic churchman, known throughout the continent as the "Bishop of the Arctic," left with the nurse in his 25-foot motor boat on the hazardous trip along the rocky west coast of Hudson Bay.

With the opening of the hospital His Lordship sees the realization of a dream he has had for nearly two decades in the barren country of northern Canada. The hospital will serve the nomadic Eskimos and the dozens of trappers that search for fur on the northern fringe of civilization. Educational courses in hygiene are planned for the younger generations of Eskimos.

Interesting War Relics

Regina Man Has Complete Set Of German Plagues

Interesting. If grim, relics of the passions and hatreds stirred by the Great War, are brought to light by J. H. Hall, of Regina, into whose possession has come a complete set of reproductions of the plaques struck by the Government of Germany commemorating various outstanding events during the dark days of 1914-1918.

The plaques were distributed to the citizenry and soldiery of Germany with the object of bolstering morale and stirring up hate, chiefly against England. They depict, among other things, the sinking of the Lusitania, Lord Northcliffe as a disseminator of lies, the triumphant German soldier conquering a figure symbolic of the Allies. All the plaques have considerable artistic merit.

A Strange Craft

Dipper Dredger Built On Tyne Has No Propelling Machinery

This strange craft, ever built on the Tyne, a dipper dredger named the Cyclops, left the river recently for the Havre (France) port authorities. The Cyclops has no propelling machinery, but her remarkable plant enables her to raise herself in the water by means of four "legs," each 70 feet long. These "legs," which can be operated rapidly, jab into the river or sea-bed. The dipper can tear into solid rock and scoop up 10 tons of material at a time.

Did Not Improve Matters

Clergyman's Small Daughter (to caller)—"Oh, my! But aren't you homey."

Her Mother—"Laura, what do you mean by such rudeness?"

Laura (frightened)—"I—I only meant it for a joke, mamma."

Mother (innocently)—"Well, it would have been a much better joke if you'd said: 'How pretty you are.'"

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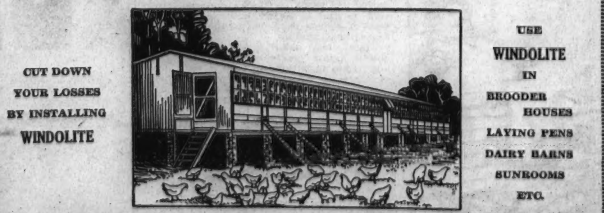
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RE-ELECTION OF MINISTERS NOT NOW NECESSARY

Ottawa, Ont.—Government-sponsored after it had apparently been lost some time ago, a bill which relieves members of the House who are appointed cabinet ministers from seeking re-election in their constituencies, was given third reading in the House of Commons. Passing of the bill, introduced by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, came after a two-hour discussion.

An amendment from the Liberal front benches was defeated before final approval was given to the legislation, which now goes to the Senate.

The bill which passed in its final stages has an interesting history. Originally introduced as a private member's measure by S. W. Jacobs, Liberal member for Carleton Place, first and second reading in the House.

It met its Waterloo, however, on a motion for consideration in committee. The government determined that the measure should pass, and Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice, subsequently introduced a motion, which carried, calling for its restoration to the order paper. Thursday, July 23, with the support of the Government, it went through the remaining stages.

Opposition came from Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, Liberal Leader. The administration, he suggested, must have lost confidence in itself, or it would not hesitate to seek the endorsement of the people for cabinet changes. While admitting that in Great Britain the necessity for re-election had been a factor in the two countries were very different, Mr. King maintained. The bill would give the Government power to ignore divisions along racial, economic and religious lines.

The sound principle of the measure had inspired the Government to take it over, retorted Mr. Guthrie. He denied that the Government feared to face by-elections, and remarked that in East Hamilton the Liberal Party was not even represented by a candidate. Saving of expense, expedition of public business, and convenience to Governments were the three reasons for the bill.

In the committee stage, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, former Minister of Justice, moved an amendment which would have the effect of limiting the period in which a newly-appointed minister would not have to go back for re-election to nine months after the proclamation summoning a new parliament. The amendment was declared lost without a standing vote. Opposition to the bill was expressed by Armand Lavergne, Conservative member for Montmagny, and Deputy Speaker of the House. When a member accepted cabinet rank, said Mr. Lavergne, his constituents should be given an opportunity to pass upon the change.

Mr. Jacobs supported the bill, expressing satisfaction that it was finally to pass the House of Commons.

Move From Dry Areas

Alberta Farmers Take Up Land

Northwest Of Edmonton

Edmonton, Alberta.—Some 36 families, out of 74 applications received and approved, have already been moved from the drought area around Hanna to new locations northeast and northwest of Edmonton, where most of them have taken up homesteads. They brought their stock and effects, each family being allowed two carloads, under the free freight policy agreed upon between the government and the railways.

Numbers of other farmers from the dry belt are now looking for suitable locations, and the Department of Agriculture has men at work helping them.

It is expected by provincial officials of the Department of Agriculture that there will be a considerable movement of settlers during the next three weeks, the policy having until August 15 to run.

Death Of Mrs. Richardson

Winnipeg, Man.—Mrs. R. L. Richardson, 66, widow of R. L. Richardson, founder of the Winnipeg Tribune, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harcourt Vernon, who has been an invalid for several years. Mrs. George Murray, of Trail, B.C., is a daughter.

Declare Moratorium

Topoka, Kans.—Many Kansas counties have declared a moratorium on taxes in an effort to assist farmers of the country's chief wheat-producing state who are offered the lowest prices in history in a year which brought their largest crop.

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Building Road In North

Will Open Up Route From Film Flon

To Hudson Bay Junction

Regina, Sask.—Construction on the new government road from Turnberry to Hudson Bay Junction, opening up the route from Film Flon, Manitoba, is proceeding in good shape, according to Hon. J. A. Mackenzie, Minister of Railways, Labor and Industry, who said that it is expected the earth grading will be completed by the coming fall.

At Turnberry the Manitoba department meets the Saskatchewan road and proceeds north to The Pas and Film Flon.

All this construction is being undertaken by relief work.

Appointment Not Made

Post Of Assistant Commissioner Of R.C.M.P. Still Vacant

Ottawa, Ont.—Contrary to a recent report that Col. James W. Spalding, of Regina, had been appointed senior assistant commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Commissioner Cortlandt Starnes states Supt. Spalding will remain in the west.

No appointment to the post here has been made, although the retirement to pension of Lieut-Col. G. W. Worsley, senior assistant commissioner, is announced.

PUBLIC HEARING IN BEAUHARNOIS PROBE IS ENDED

Ottawa, Ont.—Climaxing the final public hearing of the Beauharnois committee, R. O. Sweeney, head of the colossal power scheme, assumed full responsibility for every dollar of campaign funds with which the Beauharnois name has been connected. The contributions were on his responsibility and he, personally, assumed the whole liability. The sums paid out by the Beauharnois Company, said Mr. Sweeney, represented loans to him and already had been repaid in part.

Parliamentary circles were agog with conflicting rumors relating to the report of the committee. A conference will be held with the government of Quebec, it was stated, arising out of the fact that that company secured its power rights through a charter granted by the legislature of that province.

For the past two weeks the sittings of the committee have stolen the spotlight from the House of Commons. The evidence has been prolific with features, not the least of which was that campaign funds, totalling in excess of \$950,000, had been distributed by Mr. Sweeney among the Liberal and Conservative Federal and Provincial Parties.

The cost of the Beauharnois project to date has been \$29,768,816, stated A. F. King, committee auditor. In an exhaustive analysis of the balance sheet of the company, Mr. King said it would be fair to assume that slightly over \$7,000,000 represented "water." When questioned later on this point by G. H. Montgomery, K.C., chief Beauharnois counsel, Mr. King admitted he had not taken into consideration any value that might be attached to the company's charter from Quebec, or the approval of its plans by the Dominion.

When referring to "campaign funds contributions, Mr. Sweeney said there had been "tacit approval" by the board of directors to their payment. He explained the money had been paid by Beauharnois to a company owned entirely by him. He was responsible for the repayment of the sums, and already had paid back a considerable proportion.

Reviews Present Government Activities

Premier Anderson Says Next Saskatchewan Election Will Not Be Held Until 1934

Yorkton, Sask.—The next provincial election in Saskatchewan will not be held until 1934. This was one of the announcements made both by Premier Dr. J. T. M. Anderson and Hon. A. C. Stewart, Minister of Highways, when addressing 5,000 people here.

Mr. Stewart reviewed some of the activities of the government, and the premier outlined the policy of the government with respect to future activities. He stressed the problem of relief, citing that everything that is humanly possible was being done to meet the situation, which he admitted is a serious one.

Premier Anderson referred to the loyalty of the members of the government, and also all the supporters in the legislature, citing some of the criticisms leveled at him and his government, and then explained what efforts had been made to meet the situation in the past and what the government intended to do in the future.

Among the matters the premier discussed were, carrying out of pre-election promises, the reorganization of the education department to include lessons for rural pupils in the higher grades over the radio; restoration of natural resources, and the consequent emoluments to the province; land settlement policy and loans to help settlers; provincial parks system; encouragement of prospectors to develop the north country mining territory; the public debt; financial arrangements with the banks for the wheat pool; relief in the dry areas, and for urban centres; the calling of an economic conference this fall for debt settlement between debtors and creditors; and the 21 demands of the United Farmers of Canada, Saskatchewan section.

Trans-Canada Flight

Non-Stop Flight From Halifax To Vancouver In August

Vancouver, B.C.—The first non-stop flight from Halifax to Vancouver will take place during the Canada Pacific exhibition from August 22 to 29 here, it is announced by J. K. Matheson, general manager of the Vancouver Exhibition Association, who has been in communication with sponsors of the flight.

The flight was originally planned to take place during the airport celebration, but now it is likely to be tied up with the exhibition. J. Williams, agent for the flyer in Montreal, has forwarded details for consideration by a well-known French war ace, who is at present in Canada, it is stated.

Proposal also has been made from the same source that a round-the-world flight in an attempt to break the Gatty-Post record be made, starting from Vancouver on the opening date of 1932 exhibition, and being completed here before the close, seven days later. This matter will also be considered by directors.

Must Pay Taxes

Tax Collectors In Germany Will Pay No Favours

Berlin, Germany.—Germany's tax collectors are working on orders to get what is coming to the government and pay no attention to the excuses of taxpayers in arrears. A decree established heavy penalties for citizens who have made false declarations.

Without waiting for the outcome of the conference of nations at London, England, the Reichsbank has begun issuing almost \$250,000,000 in silver money under the recently-decreed change in the currency law.

FAMOUS WOMEN SHOTS ATTEND BISLEY MEET



This picture shows two women competitors taking part in the Bisley Shooting Meet in England, and proves conclusively that a rifle is more dangerous in some women's hands than is a rolling pin. The fair competitors are Miss E. Babcock (left) and Miss M. Forster (right), the latter being the winner of last year's King's Prize. To win this most coveted trophy in the rifle world, Miss Forster had to shoot her way to victory over 1,000 experts from all parts of the British Empire.

PRESIDENT-ELECT



Carleton W. Stanley, President-elect of the famous Dalhousie University in Nova Scotia.

Saskatchewan Relief

Hon. Howard McConnell Says Hundred Thousand Residents Will Require Aid

Montreal, Que.—About 100,000 residents of Saskatchewan will have to be fed by the Provincial and Federal Governments during the coming winter. Livestock to the number of 150,000 head will have to be taken from drought areas to spots where the feed is more plentiful. Yet Saskatchewan will recover its lost wealth, according to Hon. Howard McConnell, K.C., provincial treasurer and minister of municipal affairs, who was in Montreal to consult with officers of the Royal Bank of Canada in connection with the financial situation of the western provinces.

Out of the 302 townships in Saskatchewan, 75 will require Federal and Provincial relief during the coming winter, according to Mr. McConnell.

"The drought has been so bad," he said, "that even potatoes have not grown in some sections of the province. That is why we will have to feed so many people through the winter. It is without a doubt the most severe rainless spell that the west has had since the beginning of the century."

"People here in the east," he continued, "are inclined to reproach us sometimes, because we are now in distress. But you must remember that we now have had three years of bad crops and very low prices. Actually we have not had a good rain in Saskatchewan since July, 1929."

But the present condition in Saskatchewan is only temporary, according to Mr. McConnell. Low crop yields in wheat producing countries, smaller acreages seeded, will soon absorb the wheat surplus, and prices will rise once more and Saskatchewan will be well off.

Pledge Support To Soviets

Resolution Adopted By Ukrainian Farmers In Session At Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Man.—Final session of the Ukrainian Labor-Farmer Temple Association here was taken up with the adoption of resolutions covering varied subjects.

The convention voted support for a campaign to prevent deportation of workers and "vagrancy" proceedings against unemployed men; pledged support of the Russian Soviet and urged the organization of workers and farmers into associations to defend their political and economic interests.

Crop Outlook Improved

Washington.—The United States Commerce Department reports an improved crop outlook in western Canada, good crop conditions in Australia with a good wheat crop in view and a slight improvement in economic conditions in the Far East.

Premiers Confer At Winnipeg

Discuss Plans For Relieving the Western Wheat Crisis

Winnipeg, Man.—Prairie government representatives were in conference here discussing moves that will aid in relieving the west's wheat crisis. Premier J. E. Brownlee, of Alberta, and Premier John Bracken, of Manitoba, and Hon. Jas. F. Bryant, K.C., Saskatchewan Minister of Public Works, in conferring with wheat pool heads regarding handling and financing of this year's crop.

Establishment of an interprovincial trading corporation and reorganization of the wheat pools, permitting marketing of the 1931 crop according to a formula laid down by Premier R. B. Bennett, was said to have held the attention of the conferees. It was learned a great deal of work was accomplished towards launching the organization.

Private Depositor Will Draw Regular Interest

Only Current Commercial Accounts Affected By Decrease

Ottawa, Ont.—Private depositors will not be affected by the reduction of one-half per cent. in the interest rate on current accounts as announced by Canadian banks, according to local bank officials. The reduction from two per cent. to 1½ per cent. goes into effect August 1, and is strictly on current commercial accounts. Private depositors will continue to draw one per cent. interest as usual, it was said.

GRAIN CARGO IS ARRANGED FOR BAY ROUTE TEST

Winnipeg, Man.—Brig.-Gen. R. W. Paterson, president of the On-to-the-West Association, wired Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, that 75,000 bushels of wheat is stored in Saskatoon, "definitely earmarked to go out through Churchill this fall, and that a Norwegian firm was ready to supply ships for carrying the first cargoes of grain by the Hudson Bay route."

The message followed a meeting here of the On-to-the-West Association executive, which discussed Dr. Manion's announcement that the Dominion Government will not accept responsibility for making trial shipments of grain from Churchill. The executive interpreted the Ottawa minister's statement as meaning the Government feared sufficient grain for the test shipments would not be available.

"Noting your statement that you had been unable to secure wheat for the purpose of the test," Gen. Paterson's message read, "I personally, succeeded in having 150,000 bushels of wheat stored in Saskatoon, definitely earmarked to go through Churchill this fall, provided that cargo space is available, and it would seem that a little effort on your part would result in your being able to obtain a great many times this amount."

"With reference to cargo space we have already put in touch with your department a Norwegian firm of shipping brokers, Joachim Greig & Co., Bergen, who are most anxious to send ships to Churchill this year."

"If there are no government ships or Canadian lines who are anxious to have the honour of being the first to carry wheat from this port, I would suggest that these people be communicated with and advised that it will cost them no more, taking into consideration marine insurance, dock and harbor charges, than it would to take the same cargo from Montreal, which, I understand, is your latest proposal, and I think you will have no difficulty in adjusting the situation."

"Representatives of a Vancouver shipping firm called this week and are now on their way to Ottawa to interview you with reference to inward cargo rates. Possibly you can make this fit in such a way as to greatly facilitate the object we are trying to attain."

Accepting the challenge of the Federal Government, Saskatchewan will supply the entire shipment of 750,000 bushels of wheat for the first official test of the new Hudson Bay route. The senior wheat producing province of the Dominion has the grain and places the responsibility of providing the boats on the Federal Government.

These arrangements have been completed by Hon. J. A. Mackenzie, Minister of Railways, Labor and Industries, who said that he had received positive assurance of the amount of grain needed for the test shipment.

STEPS ARE TAKEN TO AVERT CRISIS IN GERMANY

London, England.—The seven-power conference has ended after taking temporary measures to revive world confidence in Germany's financial and economic future.

As it was forecast, these palliatives were confined to a three-month extension of the \$100,000,000 loan granted to the Reichsbank through the Bank of International Settlements, to concerted measures in all countries for the maintenance of existing credits in Germany and to recommendations dealing with Germany's future needs.

The final plenary session at the foreign office in Downing Street, London, England, ended with felicitous farewells which stressed the interdependence of nations, and welcomed the participation of the United States at the European council table.

While the conference was being generally hailed as a success, little enthusiasm could be found at the headquarters of the German delegation. Although admitting the Brüning Government has secured a breathing spell in its international financial crisis through the achievements of the London meeting, and also secured an internal breathing spell with the defeat of Nationalist and Communist efforts to convene the Reichstag, Chancellor Brüning and Foreign Minister Curtius are still staking their political position, according to the German view, unless they return to Berlin with some tangible assurance of new credits.

On the other hand, the British, French and American delegations which agreed that the Brüning meeting had accomplished its purpose as far as checking Germany's rush toward a financial collapse is concerned.

As far as new credits for Germany are concerned, all the London meeting did was to "note with interest" the joint guarantees recently placed by hundreds of German industrial concerns upon these great concerns, Germany, by a recent emergency decree, could have asked for credit amounting to \$500,000,000, and the German view is that unless some such deed is consummated, the Brüning Government will again be in danger of collapse.

It was also recommended that the World Bank for International Settlements establish immediately a committee to study the whole question of German credit needs, including the possibility of converting a portion of the short term credits into long term credits.

Increase In Tourist Business

Ottawa, Ont.—The widely-held belief that tourists are not touring in these days of "light money" has been discredited so far as Ottawa is concerned. Civic figures just released show 1,935 persons have registered at the Landsdowne Park tourist camp so far this summer, an increase of 50 per cent. over the same period last year.

Making Railway Cut-Off

Ottawa, Ont.—Although a report has been received on the projected Making railway cut-off in Manitoba, the Department of Railways and Canals has not completed a study of it. This information was given in the House of Commons by Hon. R. J. Manion, the minister, to A. L. Beaulieu, Liberal, Provencher.

Broadcast From Great Height

Friedrichshafen, Germany.—The first radio broadcast from the stratosphere was heard last week when a diminutive balloon, with automatic registration instruments and vest pocket radio sending apparatus attached, took members of the Graf Zeppelin crew it had reached an altitude of 50,000 feet.

Prevention Of Crime

Rochester, N.Y.—The crime experts of the International Association of Identification, gathered here, had rigid in their ears the advice of Police Commissioner Edward F. McGuire, of New York City, that the police should pay more attention to preventing crime among the youth of the land.

Reduced To Lowest Limit

Paris, France.—French armaments have been reduced to the lowest possible point the government declared in a memorandum on disarmament issued in answer to the request of the League of Nations Council for information preliminary to the 1932 world disarmament conference at Geneva.

Shipping traffic at the port of Havre, France, has nearly doubled in the last ten years.

Two Centuries In Calgary Region

Interesting History Of The Calgary Area Dating From The Year 1780

The depiction of contours is one of the features which makes a topographical map valuable to engineers and others who must plan routes for irrigation canals, railways, power transmission lines, etc. The actual locations of the lower sites for the Island Falls, Churchill River, Power Transmission Line, were projected in the office of the Topographical Survey at Ottawa from aerial photographs and from compiled maps.

The insistent demand to meet the needs of oil developments and other industries has necessitated the issue of maps of Calgary and vicinity on the large scale of one mile to the inch. Calgary Southwest and Calgary Northwest sheets, newly issued by the Topographical Survey of Canada, complete a series of four.

In 1875 Captain Brischof of the North West Mounted Police, discovered, on the Bow River at the place where Calgary now stands, the ruins of a very old fort which he assumed were those of Fort La Jonquiere. This fort was built in 1781 up the Pasquia (otherwise Saskatchewan), within the sight of the Rocky Mountains. Whether this meant the North or South Saskatchewan is a matter disputed by historians.

David Thompson, surveyor-trader, saw this country in November, 1806. He surveyed portions of the Bow or "Manachaban Sipi," as the Indians called it, referring to the Douglas fir on its banks higher up, which the Indians used for making bows.

Saukamappee, an Indian friend of Thompson's, told him of the first introduction of horses and mules to the Southern Alberta region about 1780 from the Spanish colony in California by successive trades from tribe to tribe.

Anthony Hendry circled through portions of Alberta in 1758. Arriving back at York Fort on Hudson Bay, his stories of equestrian Indians were received with derision, and led to his explorations being discredited. So great was the ignorance of geography that Canadians then had little or no knowledge of the position of the Spanish settlements with relation to the prairies.

Little more about this country is on record until the Imperial Government's Palliser Expedition reported on it in 1857-58. The name of the Palliser Hotel in Calgary is a memorial of this expedition.

By 1879, John Macoun, explorer, wrote:

"Calgary is merely a stockade about ten feet high enclosing a few huts."

Macoun reported that John Glen had 5,000 cabbages growing at Fish Creek, 6 miles south of Calgary. At the mouth of Fish Creek, close to the Glen Farm mentioned above, surveyor Patrick, in the same year, laid out a Government Farm for experimental purposes, three miles long and two miles in width.

Today a city of 60,000 people has been built above the site of the old fort. Old reminders remind one that the famous Turner Valley lies only forty miles to the southwest.

The two new Southeast and Northwest Calgary sheets are obtainable for a nominal price each upon application to the Survey-General, Department of the Interior, Ottawa. An area of over 1,500 square miles is depicted in the complete set of four maps.

One Problem Solved

"Ah tells yuh, Mose, Ah done found out de diffunce 'tween de men and de women at las'."

"Say what yuh please, it's dis way. A man'll giv \$2 fob a thing dat he want, an' a woman'll giv \$1 fob a \$2 thing dat she don't want."

Unemployed money presents a greater problem than unemployed men.

Marseilles, France, will hold an international fair next fall.

"I just want to tell you that every man who speaks to my sweetheart has to pay the cost of the smokes himself," Die Musketeer, Vienna.

W. N. U. 1900

Rare Postage Stamps

Errors in Printing Often Result In Stamps Being Sold At High Prices

Blunders are frequently expensive. Sometimes they have a high market value, as in philately. One day in 1818, when the Bureau of Engraving and Printing was wool-gathering, it printed the 24-cent animal stamp with the airplane upside down. One legend said that an ingenious young man bought a sheet of one hundred of the stamps and returned them because they were imperfect. But the canny young man, and having paid \$24 for the sheet, he sold it to a great snapper-up of rarities, Colonel E. H. R. Green, for \$20,000. From Colonel Green's hoard a few of the stamps have been detached, a block of four has just been bought by John Aspinwall, of Newburgh, for \$15,000.

The extravagant fondness of collectors for printers' errors makes the price of such stamps very high. Dearest than crown jewels to King George is his fourpenny Western Australia with the swan inverted, and his fourpenny of the same issue with the name "Australia" in half-sized letters. He is almost as proud of a half-penny stamp with the water-mark placed sideways.

But nothing in the philatelic world is so adored as the British Guiana one cent of 1856, owned by Arthur Hind, of Utica; it is a unique specimen printed in the color of the four cent stamp—a drab-looking color, too, and as "ornery" a stamp in appearance as one could hope to see. For this incomparable relic Mr. Hind paid \$32,500, and it will hold the primacy, for it is impossible that a more obscure unduplicated stamp can come to light—New York Herald-Tribune.

May Be Valuable Product

New Egg Plant Likely To Be On Market Soon

An egg plant promises much of value to Canadians is referred to in the annual report of the Director of Dominion Experimental Farms. As the result of long continued studies the Dominion Horticulturist makes the following observation: A Japanese egg plant called Negusai, with fruit too small for the general market, having proved the only egg plant that would grow in this country. It is in many parts of Canada and is to its earliness, was crossed with the Black Beauty, one of the large but rather late varieties, with the result that an egg plant of good size was produced, which is much earlier than the Black Beauty. Experimental work in this connection is now being carried upon getting the type fixed.

Work At Churchill Proceeding

Construction Work Reported To Be Ahead Of Schedule

Pouring of the storage tanks of the 2,500,000-bushel elevator at Churchill was completed recently and soon hundreds of men will begin work on this northern port as different parts of the work are completed.

Despite the unique difficulties of northern construction, the Carter-Hall-Adinger Company is far ahead of schedule. The power house is completed, and other work in connection with this big construction project is well advanced.

Work by the department of railways and canals on Churchill harbor is proceeding smoothly.

Givings For Missionary Work

Increased givings to the missionary and maintenance fund are reported by the United Church of Canada for the first half of this year. Total receipts are announced by Rev. Robert Laird of \$69,725, compared with \$48,200, an increase of 22 per cent. Givings of six conferences show a gain for the period while those of the remaining five are lower.

Says Crime Increasing

"Serious crime is greater today than at any other time during the last sixty years," declared Mr. Justice McCardie, at the opening of the Birmingham Assizes recently. "In my view, many criminals, whether they be perambulators, or not, are more ingenious and more astute than those of a generation ago," his lordship added.

Romans Like Vegetables

The Roman kitchen is becoming more and more vegetarian. Rome alone last year consumed 5,000 tons of vegetables, costing 4,500,000 lire, a notable increase over previous years. Last salads alone went 1,288,062 kilos of salad vegetables costing 1,230,310 lire.

Production Of Bees Sugar

Notwithstanding low prices, production of bees sugar in Canada in 1929 exceeded that of the previous year in value by \$1,197,628. The average increased 7,976 acres, and the yield increased 162,111 tons.

1,000TH GLENN



N. B. RANSON

In honour of his 1,000th ascent of Sulphur Mountain, Banff, Alta., where he has been meteorological observer for more than 30 years, N. B. Ranson, held a breakfast party at the observation station on the morning of July 1, 1931, which was attended by a large delegation of visitors from the Canadian Pacific Railway's Banff Springs Hotel, almost 5,000 feet below. Sulphur Mountain, capped by an observation station, is 9,000 feet above sea level and is one of the most important storm posts in Canada. The picture of Mr. Ranson was taken on this occasion. He is well over the "threescore and ten."

Canned Goods Always Closely Inspected

Each Container Is Marked With True Quality Of Product

Summer is the season in which the camper and tourist hold sway throughout the length and breadth of the land. It is also the time of the year when, perhaps more than at any other, canned goods are in demand. It is during this season that the travelling and camping public come to realize the true worth to them of the commercial inspection service supervised by the fruit branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Under this service all canned products of field, orchard and farm are put up under close inspection, and each individual container in addition to conforming with a specific size must be marked with the true quality of the product it contains. There are three grades of quality defined by statute. These are: "Fancy," which is the highest grade and as nearly perfect as possible; "Choice," which is not quite so perfect in appearance, is, as the term implies, a real good quality for the product; and "Standard," for use where appearance is not the principal consideration, and which provides high food value and good flavour at little cost.

Closer Trade Relations

West Indies Sees Advantage Of Developing Trade With Canada

It is without doubt the depression in the sugar industry which has brought home to the people of the Caribbean, in a way never realized before, the advantage and in fact the necessity of closer trade relations with Canada. The present trade agreement furnishes no guarantee of continuance of the benefits now derived under it, and the Intercontinental Conference of last year was satisfied that its intentions should and could be made more effective, and that its scope might be extended with mutual profit. Trinidad Guardian.

"Do you know, Doctor, I believe that my husband's trouble arises from his nose."

"I guess you've hit it."

"Oh, yes, many times!"

BONZO - - - By Studly



Mummy Wheat

Tests Prove That Ancient Egyptian Wheat Will Not Germinate

Sir Ernest Wallis Budge, for many years keeper of Egyptian antiquities in the British Museum, recently remarked that on an average of twice or three times a week he has been asked by neophyte men, if wheat from the tomb of Tut-anh-amun will grow. His reply was "Ancient Egyptian wheat will not grow."

In Western Thebes, Sir Ernest bought a model of an ancient Egyptian granary which has just been found in the tomb of the 19th dynasty, about 1200 B.C. It contained in its little bins a layer of grain which he carefully saved and brought home. This grain was divided into four parts by the curator of Kew Gardens, who gave to its planting his care and personal attention. Each part was planted separately and covered with a glass of different colour—white, yellow, red and blue. The entire Kew staff was intensely interested in the experiment and many botanists joined in waiting for the grain to germinate. After three months, on turning over the little plots, it was found that the grain had turned to dust.

Many other Egyptologists have tested the germinative qualities of grain found in tombs of antiquity, but always with negative results. Unger, who took home several well preserved specimens of wheat and barley from ancient Egyptian tombs, had no success in his carefully conducted experiments.—Northwestern Miller.

Marking Canadian Beef

Imports To Britain For Slaughter

Beef from Canadian cattle imported into Britain for immediate slaughter is to bear the word "Canada." Representations have been made to the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries on behalf of the wholesale meat trade in favour of grading and marking beef from Canadian cattle.

The Minister of Agriculture and the Secretary of State for Scotland are cordially viewing from the point of view of the home producer and consumer, the position created by the increasing supply of Canadian beef. They are of the opinion that it would be to the advantage of the home beef producer for fresh beef of Canadian origin to be properly graded and identified.

"It was felt Canadian beef could not market with the British nation mark, but after consultation with the National Farmers' Union and other interested parties the ministers agreed that Canadian beef should be graded at the existing grading centres according to the grades specified by regulations made in the Agricultural Produce Act of 1928. In the mark applied to the beef, the word "Canada" should, however, be substituted for the map of England and Wales, which is the British national mark.

B.C. Fruit Pack

The fruit and vegetable pack of British Columbia 1930 reached a peak never before attained, exceeding by 80,000 cases the former record established in 1928. During the past year a total of 1,521,500 cases of canned fruits and vegetables went out of the canning plants of this province as compared with 1,444,132 in 1929, and 1,441,300 in 1928.

Vancouver Grain Exports

By the end of June the season's grain exports from the Port of Vancouver exceeded 70,000,000 bushels, and it is expected that by the end of the crop export year, at the close of July, the total will have reached 74,000,000 bushels.

Canadian Pioneers

Early Settlers In Ontario Found Some Conditions As Are Now Being Experienced In The West

While the crop outlook in Western Canada is the most serious in years and it is apparent that genuine distress will follow from the crop failure in many districts, there is some comfort in noting that conditions in Ontario and in large parts of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces are splendid. In the eastern provinces agriculture is well established and because of the diversification that has been achieved and because of the handiness of the home and nearby markets, there is seldom a complete breakdown in farm income.

Nevertheless we should not overlook the fact that the early settlers in Ontario faced conditions similar to those now being experienced in the West. The Canadian pioneers suffered all the consequences of poor crops, frozen grain and similar difficulties. There are many men and women living today who will recall years when the farmers had nothing to live on but milk and turpentine, everything else being frozen. As these Eastern farmers gained experience they learned how to meet Nature's handicaps and vary their production to meet market demands.

Today the West is learning some lessons from its hard experience. Western agricultural papers tell of the courageous and successful efforts of many Western farmers to meet such problems as the drifting of soil, the menace of weeds and insects. They tell how diversification in some districts is helping to level out property on the prairies. Whatever the situation in Western Canada it represents only a temporary emergency and not a permanent collapse of Western agriculture. The West will be prosperous again and this fact should be kept in mind even as the country dips deeply into its pocket to prevent this emergency from bearing too harshly upon individuals.—The Financial Post.

Japs Are Settling In Brazilian Jungle

Establishing Colonies Along Amazon River In South America

The last great frontier of the world, weird jungle lands along the Amazon River in South America, is being converted into experimental colonies by the Japanese, who are settling on a gigantic agricultural project supported by their government.

Details of the colonization were given by Ryoji Noda, Japanese diplomat and first secretary to the embassy at Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, who has just completed 30 years service in South America.

At present there are over 1,000 Japanese engaged in planting rice, cotton, sugarcane and other tropical products, Noda said.

Noda, who is famed for his explorations and books that he has written on them, said that it will be many generations before civilization is able to penetrate the dark regions of the country back of the Rio Branco, where wild and savage tribes that use bows and arrows, spears and darts and roam. However, there are vast accessible lands which can be developed now, he believes.

Famous Jewel Is Sold

The famous "Cunning jewel" was sold for \$50,000 at Sotheby's recently. This jewel, confidently believed to be the work of Benvenuto Cellini, is a superb example of Italian renaissance work and was inherited by the Earl of Harewood, husband of Princess Mary, from his great-uncle, the second Marquis of Clanricarde, in 1917. The jewel was found in the treasury of the King of Oudh when Delhi was captured in the Indian mutiny.

Dates From Ancient Times

Barley is the hardest of all cereals and can be grown through a greater range of climates than any other. Its production dates from the most ancient times, when it was used principally as an article of food, but as the years progressed the uses became varied. The production of barley ranks third among the cereal crops of the Dominion in acreage and total yield and second in average yield per acre.

World Famous Tradition

The world famous tradition that the Mounties always "get their man" was an invention of American moving picture producers, Col. Courtland Starnes, retiring head of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police admits. "We got them if we could," Col. Starnes said, but added that the personnel of the Mounties now was equal to that of its earlier day when it carried international fame for its exploits.

More than 1,000 persons were killed in British coal mines in the last year.

Ultra-Violet Rays

Radiation Appears To Vary With Sun Spots, Scientists Find

Invisible rays of the sun—ultra-violet—have yielded a secret that has to do with why some generations of children require more cod-liver oil than others; also why some generations get more sunburned than others.

Dr. Edilion Pettit, radiometrist of the Carnegie Institute of Washington, has found the secret after more than six years devoted to measuring ultra-violet radiation, by means of silver detection, from sunlight, compared with gold detection instruments. He is the man who measured the temperature of the moon.

The charted result of his thousands of observations reveal that ultra-violet radiation appears to vary with sunspots, the more the sunspots the higher the ultra-violet radiation. Sunspot cycles are of 11 years' duration.

The end of an 11-year cycle is approaching, the last having been in 1923, the next in 1934. He estimates that at each minimum, that is every 11 years, the amount of ultra-violet rays reaching the earth from the sun is one-third less than at the peak of sunspot activity.

This ultra-violet radiation creates vitamin "D." That is what is in cod-liver oil, and it is from this that children are supposed to contract rickets of the bones and weakness of teeth.

It may be, medical experts will find that children born in 1920, 1931, and 1932, in some cases at least, have had more trouble with the lack of vitamin "D" than those born five and a half years after those periods.

On the other hand this ultra-violet radiation is the thing in sunlight that the medical and biological experts have found to be the cause of sunburn. At the peak of the sunspot cycles there should be more cases of sunburn. The maximum amount of ultra-violet radiation appears to come in April.

A belt of ozone some five and a half miles above the earth absorbs quite a bit of ultra-violet radiation. An important function of this ozone layer also is its "armor-plating" the earth against meteors. When meteors strike it they are burned up, and only occasionally is one large enough to have a portion left unbroken to break through to the earth.

Safety For Miners

Coal Miners Of Nova Scotia And British Columbia Have Forest

In a paper which he read at the 38th annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Mining Society, in session at Halifax, Gordon McLean, of Pittsburgh, stated that the coal mines of Nova Scotia share with those of British Columbia the distinction of having the lowest fatality rate per 1,000 employees of any coal mines in the United States and Canada.

The report showed that during the years 1925-26, the latest period available, the fatality rate for Nova Scotia and British Columbia was listed at 2.02 for each province. This is to be compared with 3.38 in Alberta, and 3.15 throughout the United States.

To Combat Soil Drifting

Strip farming as a means of combating the soil drifting problem as it affects southern Saskatchewan, was recommended by F. H. Auld, deputy minister of agriculture, when he gave an address at the annual field day under the auspices of the Regina Hard Improvement Association. The event was held at Pilot Butte. The other speaker of the day was Percy Reed, dairy commissioner. F. M. Turner, president of the association presided.

For Export To Russia

Two Shorthorn bulls belonging to the Prince of Wales have been bought by the Soviet Co-Operative Society for export to Russia. The Soviet has purchased several hundreds of British pedigree cattle during the past year, with the English Co-Operative Wholesale Society, Ltd., acting for Russians in purchasing animals from the Prince's farm manager at Nottingham.

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"The people who have taken his house!"—Pelo Mala, Paris.



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CHAPTER XXIV—Continued.

"I'd be proud to be thought in the same class," retorted Nick. "He's a real man. And we're suffering now if he hadn't known that another of these islands have no running streams. He saved every drop of water aboard the 'Sea Bird,' but if we're not picked up in another week someone has got to die—or dig a well!"

"But those small boats—how long would they live if another hurricane came up?"

"Five minutes, perhaps; but what else is there to do now that the yacht has gone to pieces on the bar? Myer could send the men, of course, but I'd rather be doing something—yet you object if I even build a fire! Do you want to spend the rest of your life here?"

"I hate it! And you're not even decently polite!"

Her childishness made Nick grin, and restored his good humor.

"I wonder," he said, "if Robinson Crusoe was a Chesterfield! I'm sorry if my manners offend you, Angela, but I'll admit that I feel on edge today and want to get off by myself. I can't get Gay out of my thoughts, and how she must be suffering. Perhaps the 'Sea Bird' wasn't mentioned in the papers, but it's long past the time when I should have been back, and it makes me crazy—it makes me wild—to think—"

"He broke off suddenly, and strode away. Angela started after him, then stopped, and looked down at her clean white shoes. For no fault of her own—nothing that could add to her personal adornment, even shoe polish, had been left behind when the 'Sea Bird' was abandoned. Angela preferred hunger and thirst to looking unattractive. She gazed with scorn at Amy Myer's unpollished Oxfords; at Nick's collarless neck; at the Colonel's solid Palm Beach suit. She rebelled at the thought that in another month her own clothes would begin to appear grimy. Now, although she really longed for a tramp with Nick, she could not endure the thought of selling her dainties; and he was evidently in no mood to wait to be changed to something suitable.

Angela sank down on a seat that the despairing captain had cleverly constructed from a barrel, and gazed gloomily out to sea. It was a scene of enchanting loveliness, but she looked upon it with blind eyes. She was thinking of Nick, angrily, and with a sense of helplessness. She admitted that she had never worked so hard to gain a conquest—yet she had evidently failed. She felt baffled—humiliated—enraged, and with it all, miserably unhappy. It made her furious that a quiet little woman like

Gay Hastings could hold a man captive—her own husband, too, whom she hadn't seen for weeks! Who was she anyway, to have married a man like Nick who had such wonderful possibilities? What a glorious lover he would make! He was better looking than any man Angela knew. He was handsome even without a collar, and how many men could stand that test? Take him away from provincial Bakersville—that stupid bank, and his stupid wife and babies, and he would go far—get anywhere. But to see him wasting himself providing for a family that grew with indecent rapidity—

Angela's lip curled in disgust. Jim had implied that she could not succeed. Her face grew hard. She would succeed! She would win Nick Hastings! It only to show Jim Hurd that she hadn't lost her charm. After all, a desert island was not a bad setting. Her prey could not escape; give her a month more. . . . She never failed . . . and perhaps . . .

Angela smiled, but her face was not beautiful, nor her eyes innocent, as she looked out to sea.

As for Nick, he tramped on desperately, his mind filled with regrets that he knew were futile. He had done what at the time had seemed the sensible thing to do, yet he was torn with the thought that he should have gone home at the completion of his business. The old nervousness that had been his before leaving Bakersville, was back upon him. People irritated him, especially Angela. He wished the world transfer her attentions to the Colonel, who would doubtless appreciate them. It might keep him from talking so persistently about the coast of Maine, a subject, which, for some mysterious reason, always put Angela on edge.

Nick wondered, as he tramped along, if her distaste for the subject had anything to do with that horrible story which the Colonel had recounted the night before the hurricane. He had hardly thought of it since. There had been too much else to think about; yet the whole thing was queer; her behaviour after the story—the midnight confessions she had forced upon him, and the kiss—mostly the kiss. It struck him for the first time that Angela was subtle, and he hated subtle people. What was it Gay had once said about not trusting Angela Haldiday?

Gay! As always, the thought of her was like the touch of a cool hand, then the realization of what she was suffering rushed back again, and he could have wept. Suddenly, realizing that he had walked too rapidly in the hot sun, he sought the shade of a clump of palms, and threw himself down, looking out hopelessly across the blue—searching the horizon for the ship that did not come.

After a while his gaze crept back to the land, and what looked like a scrap of paper caught in the underbrush not far away. Who could have dropped it? He was worried by the camp, though a couple of days ago he had come here with Angela and Amy. Pure curiosity made him arise and grasp it. In the wilderness anything pertaining to civilization is of interest. It was evidently a sheet out of a letter to which there was no beginning, and no end. The writing was unfamiliar, but instantly he saw Gay's name and read:

"Gay Hastings' baby coming in September—first part, and Nick don't know a thing about it. She wouldn't tell her because he wasn't feeling well, and she thought if he knew he'd think he couldn't leave her. They don't look real smart, and I got a notion Dr. Benson's worried. I asked him plan out, but he didn't say much. That's the way he always is. Anyway, it was none of my business. Anyway I hope Nick'll get back soon. She nearly died last time, and those boys' getting a handful though old Mr. Bartlett helps her a lot. Thought you'd like to know we was all well—Little Martha

In a flash Nick understood. This was a letter from Julie Nippa, who had a passion for writing letters. It was a letter to Angela. Julie disliked Angela, but she would write to Satan himself if he thought he would reply. She watched for the postman as a cat watches a mouse. Gay, out of pure sympathy, was always sending her picture postcards when they were away.

Nick sat down hastily. What did this mean, anyway? He read again, aloud this time: "Gay Hastings' baby is coming in September." It was his surprise he thought: "It's a lie; but why should she invent a story like that?" Then he saw light. Why it was true! Of course it was true! That was exactly what Gay would have done if she thought that he needed rest, and freedom from anxiety. What a dunce he had been not to have guessed!

Good Word For Canada
"If I were a young man with my future all before me I would go to Canada," said Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Britain's Conservative Leader, in the course of an address at Hull. He was referring to unemployment, and expressed the hope the industrial field overseas might offer as good a home, and perhaps a better home, than for many years our people had been able to maintain here.

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What she had gone through for little Nick—thinking—perhaps, that he was never coming back to her. . . .

Nick turned, burying his face in his arms, longing for the relief of tears that would not stir. These came thought that filled him with blazing anger: Angela had known! No mail had reached them since leaving Kingston. She had had this letter all the time, and had let him start out upon this cruise knowing that his place was at home. How could she! If she no sympathy for Gay—no understanding of her need of him? Even though Angela had never had a child, she should have known instinctively that, had he understood, no cruise however alluring would have tempted him.

September—the first of September, and it was now July. It might be months before they were picked up. He arose shakily, filled with an insane desire to put his hands on Angela's slender throat—that lovely throat that he should have known instinctively that, had he understood, no cruise however alluring would have tempted him.

He turned about, and began his patrol where he had left it off, walking rapidly, his thoughts in a wild chase. He looked neither to right nor left. Realizing that should have stirred him he passed unnoticed. Suddenly he realized that he was breathless, and that he had reached the point of land where he had meant to pile brush for a signal fire. He paused, and looking out to sea, stared at an exclamation of incredulity. He shaded his eyes with his hand for a long moment; then turning with furious haste, began making a pile of leaves—of twigs—of branches—of anything that would burn, working like mad before he stopped to gaze once more across the water.

Faint, almost imperceptible, yet never that it had been before, a dual spiral of smoke was visible against the horizon.

(To Be Continued.)

Miller's Worm Powders are a pleasant medicine for worm-infested children, and they will take it without objection. When directions are followed it will not injure the most delicate child, as there is nothing of an injurious nature in its composition. They will speedily rid a child of worms and restore the health of the little sufferer who has been so severely impaired by the attacks of these internal pests.

Appliance For Railroads

Latest Marvel Detects Invisible Cracks In Steel Rails

Railways can now have the services of an electrical appliance which will detect invisible cracks in steel rails, a condition that has caused so many wrecks in railroad history that it has become known as "rail cancer." This latest marvel was worked out by Emory G. Sperry, gyro wizard, just before he died a few months ago. Recent tests have proved that, through the application of electrical current, fissures are disclosed that otherwise would grow until the rails fell apart.

Would Not Change Places
"What wages would you want?" asked a district farmer of a prospective hired man in an employment office at Stratford, Ontario.

"Thirty dollars per month," was the reply.

"I'll tell you what I'll do," said the farmer. "You take the farm, work it the same as I am doing, and I'll work for you \$30 a month."

The prospective hired man declined the offer.

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Will Follow Viking Route

MacMillan Plans To Fly To Iceland By Way Of Labrador and Greenland

Donald B. MacMillan, veteran Arctic explorer and perhaps the most famous of all American navigators who have spent years of research and discovery in the land of the midnight sun, has decided, for the present, at least, to cancel the plans he had made previously concerning a flight to London, England. The veteran explorer had hoped to carry the postcard season covers on his flight to the greatest city in the Empire, the proceeds from which it was planned to be used in the educational work conducted by the commander in Labrador.

Although the explorer was sorry that he could not carry out his original plans, he announced that he would make his aerial survey as was outlined before, and in stating his purpose to continue the second part of the flight as originally planned, Commander MacMillan said the purpose of his flight were as follows:

"One is an aerial survey of northern Labrador, which is really a continuation of my work begun in 1927 and in no way is intended as a demonstration of the practicability of a northern air mail route to England. My interest is not in any proposed route or in trans-Atlantic flying. I am, however, deeply interested in helping Sir Wilfred Grenfell in his welfare work and in co-operation with him, and Dr. Alexander Forbes, of Boston, in a survey of the last 300 miles of northern Labrador."

"This year the 'Bowdoin' will be devoted to the work of surveying part of the Labrador coast in conjunction with the aerial survey which I hope to make. I am also interested in the welfare of a school of 40 Eskimo kiddies in Labrador and in the work carried on for 170 years by the Moravian missionaries. This is one reason why my schooner 'Bowdoin' leaves each year loaded with supplies for the poor people of Labrador. My other interest is in the story of the Vikings, their discovery of America, and their home in Greenland and Iceland. Therefore, I am planning to fly to Iceland by way of Labrador and Greenland."

Error Discovers In Time

Tablet In Memory Of Dickens Almost Placed On Wrong Building

A tablet unveiled in Montreal on May 31, to commemorate the fact that Charles Dickens had lived at Raso's Hotel during his visit to this city in 1842, would have been placed on the wrong building had it not been for Dr. A. H. Atherton, professor of English at the University of Montreal, and past president of the Montreal branch of the Dickens Fellowship in North America.

A few years ago a well-known French-Canadian artist painted a picture entitled "Raso's Hotel, Bonsecours Street," which showed a little, picturesque, tumbled-down building. The Montreal Dickensians, recalling that Dickens had boarded at Raso's, had decided to place the tablet on the original of the picture should be honored with a tablet. As luck would have it, a copy of the picture was shown at a Dickensian meeting at which Dr. Atherton was present.

"What's this? What's this?" exclaimed the doctor. "Raso's Hotel, Bonsecours Street? Raso's Hotel was never in Bonsecours Street. It is in St. Paul Street."

Charles Dickens had lived at the Montreal branch at once hurried to the spot, and found that the doctor was right. There in St. Paul Street they discovered the real Raso's Hotel, not a small, dilapidated building, but an imposing stone structure, whose identity was further emphasized by the fact that it had its name in great relief letters on the front facade.

Dinner: "What sort of pudding is this?"

Waitress: "We call it college pudding, sir. Like it?"

"No. I'm afraid there's an egg in it that ought to have been expelled."

An instrument has been invented to measure the force of an earthquake.

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—Die Munkete, Vienna.

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THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaeils

WIND FROM THE SEA

Tonight the wind is from the sea. And hear the tang of salt to me. Just here, the homeyuckle grove. And there the trellis with the rose. Stands close beside the garden gate. To tempt the passer with its freight Of wine-sweet, petalled loveliness. The daisies in their snowy dress. Along the pathways nod and bend As gracious women greet a friend. Yet when the wind is from the sea It brings strange messages to me; I feel, within, a sudden need Of stinging spray and driving weed. Of sea-weed red as any rose Tossed lightly where the strong tide flows.

Ah, I would know the press and surge Of ocean in its restless urge! Tonight the wind is from the sea; What can the roses say to me?

Aeromobile May Be Speedy

Vehicle Driven By Air Propeller Invented In Germany

Great speed at low cost is expected from the aeromobile, the machine recently invented by two German inventors. The vehicle is described by them as an automobile driven by an air propeller. The air screw lies horizontally on the back part of the chassis. Above it are several parallel plane surfaces forming a sort of lattice-work arrangement, the angles of which may be altered. The air stream produced by the propeller breaks through these surfaces, providing the driving power.

Minnesota In The Lists

Preparing To Enter Exhibits At World's Grain Show

Minnesota producers are getting ready to enter the lists against those of other countries in the competitive classes of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference to be held at Regina in 1932. A campaign is now being conducted by the Minnesota Crop Improvement Association among its members with the purpose of encouraging them to prepare special plots so that they may thus secure high class samples to enter in the various classes.

"Mothers have a pretty bad time."

"Why?"

"Well, they're always afraid that some guy will marry their nose and that some men won't marry their daughters."

"What are Smith's two daughters like?"

"The elder is terribly simple and the younger is simply terrible."

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Little Helps For This Week

"The Lord bless thee, and keep thee; the Lord make His face shine upon thee, and be gracious unto thee."—Numbers vi. 24, 25.

In having all things, and not Thee, what have I? Not having Thee, what have my labors got? Let me enjoy but Thee, what further crave I? And having Thee alone, what have I wish nor see, nor land; nor would I be Possessed of heaven, heaven unpossessed of Thee.

—Francis Quarles.

There is no holiness if the Lord withdraw His presence; no wisdom if His Spirit ceases to direct. In our own nature we are as unsettled as the sand upon the mountain; but in God we have the stability of the throne in heaven. Kindle, O Lord, our hearts with light and life by the holy fire of Thy love and blessing.

—Thomas A. Kempis.

Dehydrated Apples

Stocks On Hand In The Okanagan Valley Now Practically Exhausted

Stocks of dehydrated apples in the Okanagan Valley have practically been exhausted. Only very small amounts are in the hands of packers. Since fresh apples have not been available there has been a good demand for the dehydrated product. Reports from the trade indicate the effect that only small quantities are now on hand, not over 2,000 boxes, all told, are in the hands of evaporators.

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Abattoir For Saskatoon

The Saskatchewan Livestock Producers have arranged to build a small abattoir in Saskatoon costing approximately \$75,000.

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Things We Should Know

By R. M. McCool, M.L.A.

Local Tax Arrears Consolidation Act

Any tax collecting authority, with the consent of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, may pass a bylaw not later than August 1st, 1931, for the consolidation of all arrears of taxes as at January 1st, 1931 on lands used for farming purposes. Terms for payment of taxes so consolidated to be made over a period of five consecutive years with interest. The first payment to be not later than Dec. 15, 1931. In special cases payments can be made in four consecutive years, the first payment of which would be payable on or before Dec. 15, 1932. These payments to be made in addition to and to be considered as part of the current taxes. When said collecting authority enters into this agreement for consolidation, all provisions and remedies under the Tax Recovery Act 1929 are suspended but in case of default of any payment under consolidated plan, the provisions and remedies shall be automatically revived.

In Local Improvement Districts the individual will make his own arrangements with the Minister on or before the 1st day of Dec. 1931. All terms and provisions are the same as in a Municipality.

As soon as arrangements are made the Minister or the tax collecting authority shall notify the Registrar of Land Titles who will make the necessary notation on the Certificate of Title.

United Church S. S. Picnic

As we announced in our columns last week, the picnic in connection with the United Church Sunday School took place on Wednesday of last week. The place chosen as last year was St. George's Island, Calgary. About 150 making the journey.

At 10 a.m. the children and their parents gathered at the church, ready for an early start but owing to a breakdown of one of the trucks which was to have carried some of the children, a start was not made for an hour later. Bill Woods coming to the rescue, placing a car at their disposal, any

how all being ready, nine cars and two trucks carried a happy crowd safely to their destination. On arrival the women folks who had taken care that no one should go hungry were soon on the job, feeding the inner man.

This part of the program disposed of, races were the next event of interest, and some keen and exciting races were witnessed. The bathing pool received a good share of the patronage of the children. During the afternoon ice cream and lemonade was served out and at 5.30 p.m. the tables were again filled with good things to eat to which full justice was done. At 6.30 Mr. Waldo, superintendent of the Sunday School sounded the whistle and a start was made for home. Old Sol played his part well for the weather conditions were ideal and everybody well satisfied, declared it to be the best picnic the school have had and the officials are to be commended on the way it was carried out.

The large 35c linen writing pads are selling for 25c at the Chronicle office.

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Soft Ball

East Community soft ball team who have been cleaning up all teams in the Crossfield district met with a set back on Sunday when the strong Hawkeye team broke their winning streak by 17 to 14 victory.

East Community—Geo. Jones, c; Verne Thompson, p; Jim McCool, lb; Frank Ruddy, 2b; Fee Ableman, ss; Orville Bills, 3b; John English, rf; Wilson Stafford, cf; Herb Stewart, jr., if; Umpire, Vergil Green.

The Crossfield Oddfellows are sponsoring a soft ball team and are practising nightly at the park. Several practise games have been played and not only Oddfellows but the whole town has gone "soft ball." In a game the other night we noticed the following old-timers strutting their stuff: Lloyd McKory, Merrick Thomas, Hughie McIntyre, George McLeod, Gordie Urquhart, Cal. Culhoun, Jim Winning, R. M. McCool, C. H. McMillan, Walter Major, Joe Reeves, and Fred Patchell; then we have the younger bloods, namely, Arnold High, Long Langfield, Norman and Henry Johnson, Al Piper, the McLeod boys, and so.

LEGION MEETING

The usual monthly meeting of the Canadian Legion was held in the town hall on Saturday last. In the absence of the president, the chair was taken by vice-pres. Mossop. Correspondence of the month received by secretary Crocker was read and commented on, after which final arrangements for the picnic were made. There are still a number of Veterans in the district who have not joined up and Comrades are requested to try and induce everyone of them to join up.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF ROBERT WHITFIELD the Elder of Crossfield, Alberta, Printer, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Robert Whitfield the Elder who died on the 16th day of September, 1929 are required to file with Messrs. Millican & Millican, Solicitors for the Executor Robert Whitfield, by the 10th day of September, 1931, a full statement duly verifying their claims and of any security held by them and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge. DATED this 10th day of July, A. D. 1931.

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Solicitors for the Executor
Robert Whitfield, 900 Lancaster
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Local and General

Phyllis and Eva Jarman were weekend visitors in Calgary.

H. R. Fitzpatrick and J. P. Metherall spent the week-end with their families at Sylvan Lake.

Clem Culling is building a billiard and dance hall at Dog Pound.

Alex Gordon left on Wed. to adjust horse losses in the Beiseker district.

Don't forget the baseball game on Friday night of this week at 6.30 sharp, Irricana vs Didsbury. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist returned on Tuesday from Maple Creek where they had been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. White of Coleman and High River were visitors at the Rectory this week.

Rev. A. D. Currie preached in St. Luke's Red Deer on Sunday last.

Miss R. T. Amery and family returned home on Sunday last after spending a vacation at Sylvan Lake.

Miss Cartwright, Mrs. Currie's sister left on Saturday for Blairmore after spending her holidays here.

Miss I. Dorsch teacher at Greenwood school is spending her vacation at Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Laut and Wilda, were visitors in Calgary on Tuesday.

Miss Alison Wylie returned to her home in DeWinton Saturday, having been the guest of Miss Jean Arnott for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Johnson and family motored to Sylvan Lake on Sunday last. Mrs. Johnson and sons are spending a week or so there.

Quite a number of our local townspeople motored to Calgary on Sunday last, taking an active part in the Baptismal Services at the Westbourne Baptist Church.

Advertising and subscriptions for the Calgary Herald can be sent in through the Chronicle office.

Mrs. Dick Patmore and children returned on Saturday from Lacombe, where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ivor Lewis returned on Tuesday night after spending a month holiday with friends and relatives in British Columbia.

Mrs. A. Hinton and daughter who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marr, left on Tuesday for their home in Chilliwack, B. C.

A Ruling has now been received from the Postmaster General to the effect that postage stamps may be used in payment of the two cent revenue tax on cheques, etc.

Wm. Urquhart and Mrs. Layton accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Bishop of Calgary were visitors to Turner Valley on Sunday. Mr. Urquhart states that the crops between Okotoks and Black Diamond are great.

Mrs. J. M. Williams, Miss Grace Williams and Jackie left on Saturday for Sylvan Lake, where they will camp for the next two weeks. Mr. Williams made the trip with them, returning on Sunday evening.

Mrs. and Miss Thompson, mother and sister of Mrs. Ernest Amery, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Amery, of Walla Walla, arrived here last week-end and will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives in the town and district.

A horseshoe tournament will be played at the park on Saturday afternoon, August 1st. The McCool challenge cup will also be played for at least twice during the afternoon. All members are requested to be on hand at two o'clock sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Young of Macleod, Alberta, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Olive Margaret, to Mr. Hugh Smith Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Baird of Edmonton. The marriage will take place early in August.

Wednesday was a busy day at Crossfield, and one was hard to please if he could not find some where to go. First, the Board of Trade were hosts to the Calgary Board of Trade, twenty-one cars lined-up, visiting the Colliery Ranch and the Huser Farm, returning to Crossfield for a banquet at night. Then the Bible Study Class had a picnic on the Blair Ranch. The Inverles Ladies' Aid held their annual picnic at the Dick's farm. The Canadian Legion held their picnic at the local park. At 6.30 Beiseker and Crossfield played a game of baseball at the exhibition grounds. All we needed was a dance to complete a strenuous day.

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those who assisted in anyway in making

the picnic the success it was. Special

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